

## Hamlin and Other Texas Schools Under Court Order to Comply With Recent Segregation Amendment

Hamlin, along with other Texas public schools were under an order from the state superintendent of public instruction today to eliminate segregation of students of Mexican or other Latin-American descent in all grades above the first grade, according to an announcement by I. R. Huchingson, local school superintendent.

The order was issued Tuesday by State Superintendent L. A. Woods in compliance with a federal district court judgement issued last Tuesday, June 15, ruling segregation above the first grade to be a violation of constitutional rights of Mexican pupils as guaranteed by the amendment of the United States constitution.

Woods directed "all school officers of county, city, town and school districts" to take "all necessary steps" to eliminate segregation that might exist in violation of the court judgement.

He said he would take whatever steps necessary to enforce his order.

Woods' order in compliance with the court judgement recognized as "permissible" separate classes in the first grade for any students shown by language tests to have language difficulties.

He noted, however, that segregation in the first grade must stop at the instructional level and that all other school facilities must be the same for all students.

## Boll Weevils Show Increase in Fields Not Pest-Treated

Boll weevil populations in undusted fields are higher than at this time last year in most Central, South-Central, Coastal and lower Valley counties. Punctured squares in 419 fields examined in 28 counties averaged 16 percent as compared to 3 percent at this time last year.

Fleahoppers have decreased in most coastal counties, partly due to widespread use of control measures, but they are increasing in most South-Central and Central Texas counties. Reports from 429 fields in 40 counties show an average of 11 fleahoppers per 100 terminals as compared to 12 last year.

Where boll weevils and fleahoppers are present in injurious numbers, particularly in Central, South Central, and in some counties of the upper coastal area control measures should be applied at once. When cotton first begins to fruit and before the squares become one third grown it should be inspected carefully and if weevils and fleahoppers are present in injurious numbers, dusting with one of the following insecticides at approximately 10 pounds per acre, at weekly or 10-day intervals, is recommended:

- (1) Chlorinated camphene (10 per cent or 20 per cent concentrations depending upon whether fleahoppers or boll weevils are more injurious), or
  - (2) A mixture of 5 per cent DDT and 3 per cent gamma BHC (Benzene hexachloride).
- After two effective applications the weevil infestation in 102 dusted fields in Wharton county averaged 2 per cent punctured squares as compared to 22 percent in 28 comparable undusted fields. The fleahopper infestation in the dusted fields averaged 2 per 100 terminals as compared to 16 in the undusted fields.

## Comrades Class to Hold Sale for Swings

Comrades Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church are having a Cake and Pie Sale, Saturday, June 26, beginning at 11:00 a. m. on Main Street near the City Drug.

Funds derived from the sale will go toward erecting swings for children at the City Park.

## Hamlin Schools Receives \$4,488 Per Capita Aid

Hamlin Schools received \$4,488 on June 17 as a payment of the \$55 per capita authorized for 1947-1948. It was a \$4 payment, with another expected in July.

Total scholastics for Hamlin city schools is 1,122 including colored students, it was reported from the office of Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

## Jones County Placed Under Bollworm and Okra Quarantine

Jones County and 19 other area Counties were among 42 in Texas placed under pink bollworm quarantine last week, the United States Agricultural Department has announced.

Area Counties placed under the quarantine include: Baylor, Childress, Collinsworth, Cottle, Dickens, Donley, Foard, Hale, Hall, Hardeman, King, Knox, Motley, Stonewall, Throckmorton, Wheeler, Wilbarger and Wichita.

The quarantine, imposed because of the discovery of a light scattered infestation of the worm throughout North Central Texas, regulates the movement of okra and all forms of cotton and cottonseed.

## Celotex Corporation Announces Increase Quarterly Dividends

T. E. Armstrong, local manager of the Celotex Corporation announced Thursday that at a director's meeting in Chicago recently an increase in the company's regular quarterly dividend on common stock was paid.

The increase was from 37 1/2 cents per share, to 50 cents a share for the quarter ending July 31, and payable on that date.

The board also declared a regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents a share on preferred stock for the quarter ending July 31.

Both dividends are payable to stockholders of record at the close of business July 9th.

## Attends New Jersey Army Signal School

Pfc. James W. Anglin, Route 3, Hamlin, was recently selected to attend the Signal School at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

Private Anglin's mother, Mrs. J. A. Kidwell, also lives on Hamlin Route 3, south of town.

## Charles Ellas New Irwin Co. Employee

Irwin Motor Company this week is announcing Charles Ellas as its newest employee. He arrived in Hamlin last week from Abilene where he has been employed by the Bob Fuller Motor Company.

Ellas claims 25 years experience in the general automobile repair business and has specialized on Kaiser-Frazer makes since the cars first appeared upon the market.

"I have only been in Hamlin a short while," Ellas said, "but you certainly can quote me as liking the people and the town. The thing I am interested in at the present is an apartment or a house."

Ellas came to Texas 26 years ago from New York state. He belongs to the Baptist Church and Mrs. Ellas is a Methodist. They have lived in Abilene four years.

## Safety School Given Last Week by Shell

A safety school was conducted the first four nights of this week at the High School building by the Shell Oil Company. John Reese of Colorado City was teacher of the class.

# Drouth Setback as 1.77 Inches Rain Falls

## Miss Jessie Myers, Veteran Sponsor Will Again Represent Hamlin At Stamford Texas Cowboy Reunion



## Local Stores To Close Mon., July 5 For '4th' Holiday

According to report to The Herald this week from the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce local stores will observe July 5 instead of Sunday, July 4.

All stores are operating in the annual program.

Twelve street flags were received to display on National Flag Day, June 14. The flags were distributed to merchants by the local CC. A limited number were ordered in the first shipment as samples and another is expected to arrive in time for July 4th celebration.

## 7 Hamlinites Among 1,105 Summer School Students at H-SU

Seven persons from Hamlin are among the 1,105 students enrolled for the first six weeks term of the 1948 Summer Session at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene the college registrar disclosed today.

Hamlin residents attending the summer school are: Joy Agnew, Bill Harbert, Mrs. C. E. Ball, Robert H. Atkinson, Jeannine Johnston, Mrs. Avalene Lambdin and Mickey Scott.

The 1,105 enrollment figure is the highest yet attained by H-SU for a summer session. It represents an increase of 136 resident students over last summer's previous high.

## HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL IS BADLY IN NEED OF MODERN AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM SURVEY SHOWS

Among other things Hamlin Memorial Hospital needs is an air-conditioning system, it was pointed out Tuesday by Bowen Pope, manager, who is serving without remuneration. He has seen a dream of long-standing come true and he has had much to do towards the hospital's construction.

A Herald representative was delighted to find a modern and complete small hospital and we are sure the Hamlin people are proud of their institution and will continue to support it.

We were impressed with the neatness and order and the soft color combinations and with the latest and most comfortable furnishings. It seems nothing has been overlooked to make the hospital meet every need. The equipment, including that in the operating room, sterilizing department, laboratory, X-ray, the supply room, in fact the kitchen and modern nursery is something of which to be proud.

A noticeable feature of the institution is everything is planned

Miss Jessie Myers who has represented Hamlin as sponsor for the past seven years, will again vie for honors as Hamlin's sponsor in the Annual Cowboy Reunion at Stamford July 2-5.

She has competed in approximately 75 rodeos, winning many prizes and was voted Champion All Around Cowgirl of the 1947 Hardin-Simmons Intercollegiate Rodeo, at Abilene and was invited by the Local Chamber of Commerce to represent Hamlin in the Stamford Rodeo event.

She is a junior in Hardin-Simmons University and president of the Riding Club and teaches two courses in horsemanship.

## Rotarians Hear Forrest Greenway

Rotary Club, who will install new officers at next week's meeting, met Wednesday at noon in the High School lunch room. They were entertained by an interesting talk by Forrest Greenway and at the same time saw a heavy downpour of rain fall.

Arthur Albritton led the group in singing America, accompanied at the piano by Miss Janet Bonner. Rev. Hugo Hiterius, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Ericksdall, near, Stamford said the invocation.

President J. C. Turner introduced as visitors: J. D. Greenway, Anaheim, California; Chuck Rogers, Sweetwater; Rev. H. L. Smith, new Hamlin Nazarene pastor, and Rev. A. R. Posey, another new pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Speaker Greenway, a former resident of Hamlin is a graduate of Harvard University in Boston, a M.S., and his talk dealt mostly with the business school. He gave various phases of business and said he was glad to be back in Hamlin again, stating "the town is growing."

## Attention! Gold Star Mothers

Gold Star Mothers of the Hamlin area are requested to contact Edgar Duncan, adjutant of the American Legion immediately.

Gold Star pins are to be ordered in the near future and all mothers desiring one are urged to contact Mr. Duncan.

## Judge C. Collings Talks to Lions at Tuesday Meeting

Judge Cecil C. Collings of Blaine Spring told 33 Hamlin Lions and three visitors at the regular luncheon meeting Tuesday noon, some things a constructive service club should do.

"First, we Lions should have a little clean wholesome fun as we go along our every day living," the speaker declared. "Our meetings are a place of fellowship where we can swap problems one with another and become better acquainted." The third step stressed was that any service club should serve the town and community. Should have some worthwhile object as its goal and not be satisfied until it was accomplished.

President I. R. Huchingson introduced Judge Owen Thomas as a visitor, who in turn presented Speaker Collings. Other visitors were John Davenport of San Angelo; Travis Anderson, Texas City and M. H. Pruitt. Invocation was by W. C. Russell.

Arle Castle was in charge of the program which included a piano solo by Miss Janet Bonner. Judge Thomas made a short talk before introducing the speaker who is District Judge of the 70th Judicial District.

At next Tuesday's regular meeting new Lions Club officers will be installed by District Governor Marvin C. Culbertson.

## WTU Completing Voltage Line from Roby to Anson

Construction crews of the West Texas Utilities Company this week are completing a project which began four months ago when they started converting a 33,000 volt line to 66,000 volts.

The high voltage line started at Roby, extends through Hamlin and on to Anson. In Hamlin a new sub-station has been constructed in the northeast part of the city.

"Company crews have been stringing larger wires and installing more powerful conductors through-out Hamlin to take care of the increased electrical load," declared B. M. Brundage, local WTU manager Wednesday.

Four crews with a total average of 28 men from Stamford and Abilene have been busy the past four months, making the change-over. Total expenditure figures were unavailable.

## PRECIPITATION STARTS AT NOON WITH UPPER LAKE NEAR SPILLWAY

It rained on the "just and unjust" in Hamlin and surrounding communities Wednesday afternoon and evening when 1.77 inches fell within the city with a heavier fall reported west of town.

Reports reaching The Herald office early Thursday morning said the Upper Lake west of Hamlin lacked only 33 inches of running over the spillway at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday. The lake was rising at the rate of one inch every 15 minutes.

## Boy Scout Troop Spending Week at Camp Tonkawa

Hamlin Boy Scout Troop 43 left Sunday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. for a week's outing at Camp Tonkawa, 18 miles southwest of Abilene. They expect to return home Saturday.

Fifteen boys, accompanied by Joe King, acting Scoutmaster, made the trip.

The boys included the following: Sherrod Shaffer, Joe Don Hymen, Troyce Hargrove, Loyce Hargrove, Guy Weaver, Robert Fletcher, Jms. Eddie Jay, Robert Angel, Gerald Fudge, Robert Bonner, Fred Wimslett, Don Gregory, Kenneth Barnett and Jon Adams.

King, who is director of the local Youth Program, stated that activities will be resumed Monday beginning at 5:00 o'clock p. m. He urged all boys, from six to 16 years to attend whether or not they are Boy Scouts.

The Youth Program began May 31. King stated, with an average attendance of 20 boys. They meet at the baseball park daily except Saturday and Sunday. Activities include: swimming, baseball, boxing, "chinning", washer pitching and tennis.

Thursday of last week King accompanied 23 boys to Anson for a swim meet in a station wagon furnished by Hamlin Motor Company and other automobiles.

## Services at Fairview Baptist Announced

Announcement is made this week that Rev. S. R. Respass of Swenson will preach at both morning and evening services at Fairview Baptist church Sunday, June 27. Every member is urged to be present as well as the general public is invited.

The Herald regrets it was unable to get details regarding the death of Mr. J. S. Criswell. However, we expect to have the full account in next week's edition. News so early is appreciated.

## New Outpost Location Is Filed in Fisher Seven Miles West of Hamlin

Seven miles west of Hamlin location for a new northeast extension to the Round Top field, Fisher county deep reef production has been filed by General Crude Oil Company of Houston.

It is the No. 3 W. H. Jackson et al, 330 feet from the east and 1,250 from the south line of section 88, block 1, H&TC survey.

On permit for 4,900 feet, rotary rig is to be moved to the location.

Meanwhile, operators have set casing and are preparing to complete in the reef on the General Crude Oil Company No. 2 W. H. Jackson et al, 467 feet from the west and south lines of section 88 block 1 H&TC survey.

Casing was set at 4,807 feet, above total depth of 4,853, after 2 feet of the section had been cored and showed saturation, and a drill stem test had given recovery of 500 feet of oil and 300 of oil cut mud. The No. 2 was a twin to the No. 1 which was completed as a Swastika discovery.

At press time no definite report had been received from the South Lake, main water supply for the city. However, one source said the lake had caught considerable water late Wednesday.

Last precipitation recorded at the City Pump Station was June 13th when .10 inch of rain fell. June's total now reads 2.14 inches.

Hamlin has received a total of 6.75 inches of rain for the year, or about one-half of normal. Rainfall by months follow:

January	.13
February	.92
March	.40
April	.33
May	2.83
June	2.14

The drouth seems partially, if not definitely broken. Not only has it been dry but it has been hot as well. Row crops that were promising 10 days ago have suffered greatly the past few days with a high south wind blowing almost continuously.

It may be too late for cotton planting now, one source disclosed Thursday, but he said that which was up would benefit materially. Most farmers are expected to start planting maize and hedges.

Hamlin ranchmen were jubilant Thursday morning as their position before the rain was become more precarious. New prospects for fall grass are better. Many of them have shipped their cattle to other states for the summer.

All in all, there is no sweeter music to a drouth-stricken area than craking frogs after a rain.

## Santa Fe Carloadings Go On Upward Trend

Santa Fe carloadings for the week ending June 19 were 32,220 as compared with 28,687 for the same week in 1947.

Cars received from connections totaled 11,757 as compared with 10,424 for the same week in 1947.

Total cars moved were 43,977 as compared with 39,111 for the same week in 1947. Santa Fe handled a total of 41,901 cars in the preceding week of this year.

## More Rent Houses Needed in Hamlin

Hamlin is growing daily! That is the statement of Mrs. E. M. Wilson, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce, if calls for apartments and houses is any indication.

"Tuesday we placed three families in homes, due to the co-operation of the public and I wish to thank each and every one who has responded. But we need considerable more housing in Hamlin," she stressed.

A revival of oil activities here is cause for the demand of housing facilities, it was pointed out. Every day entire families are being turned away because there is no place for them to live.

There are approximately 8 new homes within the city in the process of being completed but a reliable source pointed out these residences will not be for rent.



## Political Office Announcements

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, election to be subject to action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 24:

For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 11th Judicial District:  
**CECIL C. COLLINGS**

For State Senate, 24th District:  
**HARLEY SADLER**  
**PAT BULLOCK**

For District Clerk:  
**LEON THURMAN**

For Tax-Assessor-Collector:  
**ELZY BENNETT**

For County Attorney:  
**GEORGE P. HUDSON**  
**CHAS. E. BROWNFIELD JR.**

For County Clerk:  
**H. O. (Herb) ROWLAND JR.**

For County Judge:  
**ROGER Q. GARRETT JR.**

For County Treasurer:  
**GENE SPURGIN JR.**

For Sheriff:  
**BILL DUNDOWY**  
**BEN F. BAILEY**

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1:  
**ROY C. BROWN**  
**R. B. (Boone) BOYD**

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2 of Fisher County:  
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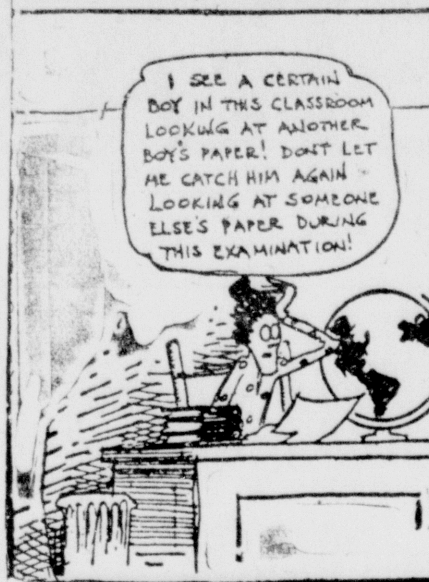
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## Jimmy Was Handicapped



## By Gene Byrnes



## Despite Decrease of 100,000,000 Farm Workers, It Increases

Although a million workers have left farms and ranches since 1935, agricultural food production has been increased during that time to a point 40 percent above any previous peak, Department of Agriculture records submitted to The Herald show.

This increased productivity has been obtained, it was pointed out, as the nation has swung increasingly to oil-powered farming. Since 1935, the number of tractors on farms has virtually tripled and now stands at 3,000,000, operating over 15,000,000 farm implements.

Use of trucks on farms has also greatly increased, the department points out, with almost one-third of the nation's trucks now in use on farms and ranches. Of a total of 6,492,000 trucks, 1,880,000 or 29 percent, are now in use in agricultural work. This is an increase of 61 percent since the war began.

## Personal News:

Dannie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maberry is ill again and is undergoing treatments in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simpkins of Rule visited in Lubbock over last week-end.

THE STYLE MART \$1 specials are all useful items. 1c

Mr. and Mrs. Art Carmichael and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carmichael left Saturday for Bush Ranch, New Mexico on a week's vacation. They are expected to return home Saturday.

These trucks, it was noted, added to 4,860,000 farm automobiles and 3,000,000 tractors, make the farm a major user of oil products today.

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Mrs. R. L. Kite visited her daughters, Misses La Rue and Oleta Kite, in Abilene this past week.

## Lots Distinguished Guests Expected Stamford Reunion

When Texas Cowboy Reunion Association members meet at the 18th annual Reunion in Stamford July 2, 3 and 5, there will be many distinguished guests and members on its roster. Ernest O. Thompson, Bill Murray and Olin Culbertson, Texas Railroad Commissioners, will be among guests at the annual affair.

The Texas Cowboy Reunion Association was first organized at the original Texas Cowboy Reunion June 23, 1930, and is now incorporated. It is the largest cowboy organization in the world. The membership is made up of cowboys required to be 50 years of age or over, and to have been actual cowboys 35 years prior to registration.

Its roll at one time listed fifteen hundred, but time has reduced the ranks to a regular membership of 650. Widows of deceased members have the right to succeed to the membership of their husbands, and many take advantage of that privilege. Several of them have served on the board of directors. Many distinguished ranchers, trail drivers, authors, artists and professional men who rode the range for years, have graced the Texas Cowboy Reunion Ralls.

The organization was among the first to revive the square dance.

## Bits of News:

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson left Wednesday morning by train for Detroit, Michigan to visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Wilson and their granddaughter, Cynthia Ann. They will also visit Niagara Falls, New York and points in Canada while away.

Clarence C. Bailey, of the Bryan-Link Company, who has been a resident of Hamlin since 1906, this week is spending his annual vacation resting at his home here and doing "odds and ends" around the place.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleo Scott and children, Larry and Betty spent a few days in Marshall last week visiting Mr. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Scott. While in Marshall Mr. Scott preached there on Wednesday evening.

Patricia Bennett returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Spur.

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in  
"The Voice of the Turtle"  
with  
Eve Arden  
Wayne Morris  
Also Selected Shorts

TUES.-WED.—  
Bette Davis  
in  
"Winter Meeting"  
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## Retail Sales Show Rise Above April, 4% Up on Last Year

Texas retail sales rose fractionally above April to an estimated \$449,000,000, according to preliminary tabulations of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Influenced by seasonal factors, jewelry stores and furniture and household stores sales gained over April, 23 per cent and five per cent respectively. However those seasonal increases were below normal. Sales of other durable goods declined, resulting in an over-all decrease of one per cent. Sales of automobile stores fell four per cent; and building materials, lumber and hardware, two per cent.

Dollar sales of durable goods stores climbed eight per cent from May 1947. All stores in this group reported higher sales from May 1948 except hardware stores, which reported to be down three per cent. Nondurable goods stores reported a two per cent gain over April. Florists' sales jumped 30 per cent above their April level for the greatest monthly increase among Texas retailers. On the other hand, apparel store sales fell one per cent.

Food sales edged up two per cent in May and five per cent above May 1947. Grocery stores, without meat, led the group with a seven per cent increase over April. Compared to a year earlier, the combination store sales led the pace by stepping up sales seven per cent above May 1947.

## Joyce Culbertson is Named TSCW as the Fish Dance Chairman

Miss Joyce Culbertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Culbertson of Hamlin is the freshman dormitory dance chairman for the Texas State College for Women All-College dance to be held Saturday on the terrace at the Virginia Carroll Lodge according to a report to The Herald early this week.

Music to the dancing will be furnished by the TSCW Serenaders.

Miss Bernadette Henken of Ramsey, New Jersey, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Shira the past two weeks. This was her first visit to the West and she was surprised that the people did not wear big hats and six-guns.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY and Monday are the \$1 days at The Style Mart.



Women's clothes have "that new look"—but my clothes get "that old look", just as soon as I put 'em on.

A suit looks good on the dummy in the window but not on me.

On me, the suit doesn't hang right; it just hangs.

And my knees are knobby, so at once the suit bags at the knees.

Or take a hat—

Other men can buy light gray, or even white hats and they stay spick and span for months. But, regardless of what I pay, my hat gets spotted right away and one side of the brim flops.

And ties—mine wrinkle after the third wearing, except when they wrinkle after the second wearing.

And even as little a thing in the direction of neatness as a shoeshine—within 10 minutes after I get one, somebody steps on my foot in an elevator.

There ain't no justice.

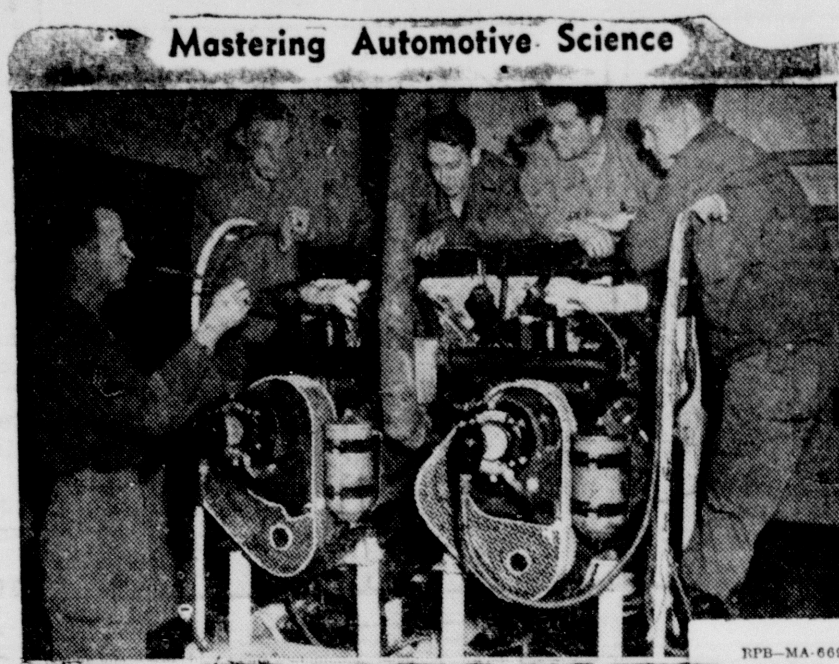
The law says that an alien, convicted of two crimes, shall be deported. But a decision of the United States Supreme Court says you can't convict him of two crimes in a row; no, it can't be that simple; you must convict him of one and then he must go out and commit another and then be convicted of that before he can be deported.

Why doesn't Congress change the law so that, if an alien is convicted of one crime, he shall be deported.

Another thing: We have aliens in this country who are Communists, which means they favor overthrowing our form of government but we can't get rid of them because the country they came from won't take them back. Why doesn't Congress change the law so that we will admit people only from those countries who are willing to take them back—and when a country refuses to take one of these undesirable back, we admit no more visitors from that country.

Henry George, the economist, once cynically remarked that if the multiplication table stood between some men and the world, they would find "authorities" who would attack the correctness of the statement of two times two is four.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Abney of Sundown spent last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Shira.



It's not enough that a soldier merely know how to operate an Army vehicle. He must also know what makes it go. So, these mechanically minded soldiers are getting expert instruction on the internal operation of an automotive engine at one of the many Army Field Forces training schools. Today, thousands of young men are receiving technical training in the U. S. Army by way of preparation for a profitable military career.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jay, accompanied by their two sons, Jerry and Gary, spent last week in southern Kansas near Hutchinson and through Oklahoma, making a survey of wheat crop conditions. They returned by way of Tulsa and visited a brother and a sister of Mrs. Jay's, Marvin Canille and Mrs. Sam Appleton.

Don't forget to cash in on the \$1 bargains at The Style Mart.

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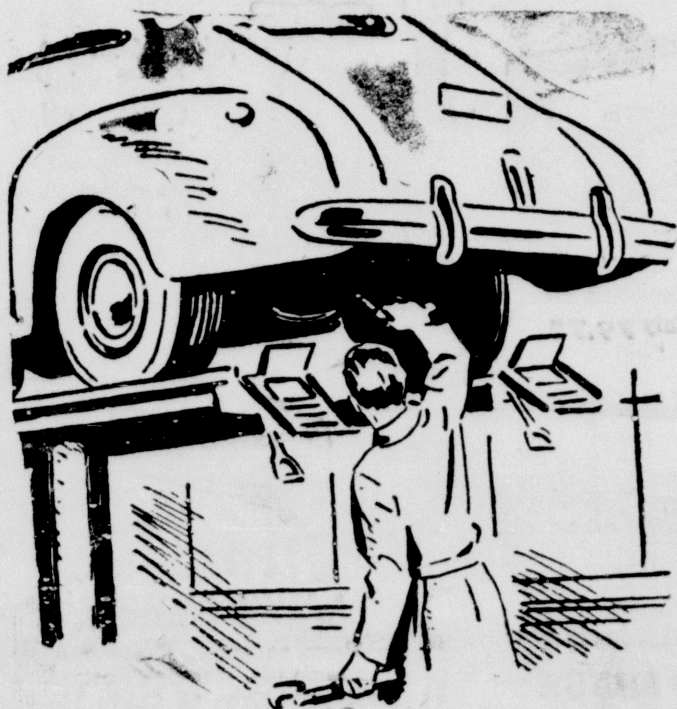
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## Salt in Drinking Water Benefit to Summer Health

There is little doubt that Summer is here. If you don't think so, take a quick look at your thermometer or feel your shirt or blouse—chances are that it will be wet and salty with sweat.

Excessive sweating means the loss of body salt, and Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises the use of salt in drinking water as a means of avoiding heat cramps.

"Salt is a prominent constituent of sweat," says Dr. Cox. "On days when the thermometer goes to 90 degrees or above, as it has recently, the body may lose as much as fifty grams of salt. Laborers, farmers, and even white-collar workers should be especially watchful of heat cramps."

Heat cramps are characterized by pains in the stomach, headache, and sometimes nausea and vomiting. The danger comes because the loss of the salt may occur without the knowledge of the individual until the deficiency causes cramps or heat lag.

Salt tablets may be purchased commercially. If they are not available, a pinch of table salt will serve the same purpose.

"Drinking milk is an excellent method of replacing body salt lost through perspiration," Dr. Cox recalled, "but alcoholic drinks should be avoided."

## Really Needed the Business.

When an Eastern firm received word that one of its salesmen was found dead in San Francisco, it wired to the West Coast:

"Send samples back by freight, search body for orders."

Mrs. A. L. Mize of Anson visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Christian of Celtex.

## Texas Businesses have Four Flops in May

Only four Texas businesses failed in May according to a report to The Herald by Dun & Bradstreet reports to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

There were five failures in April 1948 and two in May 1947.

Business fatalities for the first five months of 1948 totaled 27 as compared to 17 in the like period in 1947.

Average liabilities were \$52,000 per failure in May, \$23,000 in April and \$17,000 in May 1947.

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Spiced Meat

Can 49c



Mary Lee Taylor's Pineapple Ice Cream Broadcast: June 26, 1948

2 1/2 cup Pet Milk 1/2 cup sugar 2 tablespoons flour 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup pineapple juice

1/2 cup canned, crushed pineapple, drained 2 tablespoons lemon juice

Chill milk until icy cold. Mix together sugar, flour and salt. Stir in pineapple juice. Boil and stir 2 min. Remove from heat; add pineapple and lemon juice. Chill. Whip chilled milk with cold rotary beater or electric beater at high speed, until stiff. Fold into chilled pineapple mixture. Freeze, without stirring, in tray of automatic refrigerator, at coldest temperature. Makes 1 1/2 pints.

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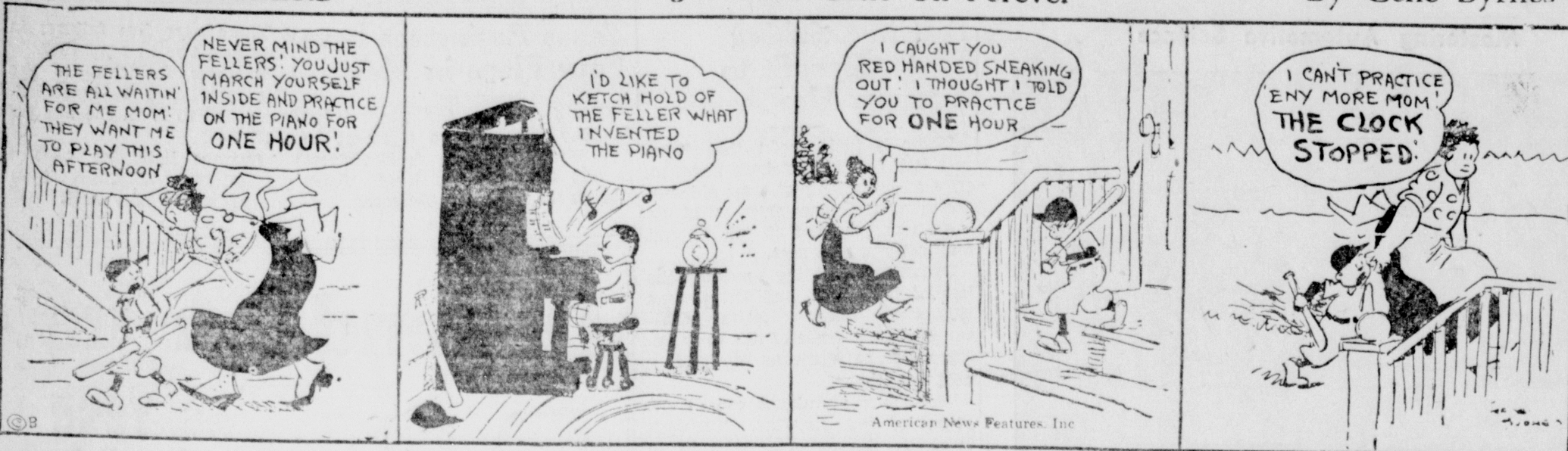
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## REG'LAR FELLERS



## He Might Have Gone On Forever

By Gene Byrnes

## Trade School Quota Lifted by Navy Dept. For Month of June

Chief J. C. Larcom, traveling recruiter from the Navy Recruiting Station, Abilene, announced this week that the limited quota on the Navy trade schools has been lifted for the month of June.

This means that high school graduates who can show their diplomas may be assured of attending the school of their choice before enlisting. They may also obtain the equivalent of three years of college through the USAFI courses. These courses are recognized by 59 leading colleges and universities in the United States.

The quotas for trade schools will

## Couldn't Take Any More.

Mistress (to maid who had just given notice—"Haven't we always treated you like one of the family, Mary?")

Maid—"Yes, ma'am, you have, and I can't stand it any longer."

"Darling, haven't I always given you my pay check on the first of every month?"

"Yes, you low-down cheat. But you never told me you were paid twice a month."

again be limited beginning July 1, Larcom said. "If you are interested in furthering your education, see your Navy recruiter in Hamlin each Wednesday at the local Post Office."

## Veterans News

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Q.—If I attend Summer sessions at the college where I am enrolled under the education benefits of the G-I Bill, do I need a supplemental certificate of eligibility?

A.—No. The only time you need a supplemental VA certificate of eligibility to attend summer school is when you transfer to another school for the summer term.

Q.—I am a U. S. citizen and have received war service gratuity and re-establishment of credit benefits. Am I entitled to loan benefits under the Canadian government, under the G-I Bill?

A.—Veterans Administration has ruled that the loan benefits under the Servicemen's Readjustment act are neither the same nor similar to the "war service gratuity" and the "re-establishment credit" apparently paid you in cash by the Canadian government. Therefore, you are entitled to a loan guarantee if you are otherwise qualified.

Q.—Five of us veterans of World War II have incorporated and are operating a business. Can each of us file a claim for readjustment allowance as self employed?

A.—No. A Veterans Administration decision held that none of the veterans connected with a corporation can be regarded as self-employed within the meaning of Public Law 346 (G-I Bill).

Q.—My husband is receiving a Spanish War pension of \$90 monthly. We were married two years ago and I would like to know if I will receive a pension at his death?

## COTTON QUIZ

HOW MUCH COTTON IS USED ANNUALLY IN THE MANUFACTURE OF TRUCKS?



ENOUGH COTTON TO MAKE A NEW DRESS FOR EVERY HOUSEWIFE IN AMERICA IS USED EACH YEAR IN THE MANUFACTURE OF AUTOMOTIVE TRUCKS

Big Cleaning Job Ahead.

"Miss Helen," said the parson impressively as he led her into the brook for baptism, "I've gwine lead you out into dis heah stream an' wash out every spot o' sin you's got."

"Lawdy, pahson," giggled the erstwhile frolicsome damsel, "in that little shallow creek?"

A.—No. Under existing law, you would not be eligible because your marriage took place after Dec. 31, 1937.

## Typhoid Fever Germ Is Hitch-Hiker from Victim to Another

A warning Jones County people against the hitch-hiking germ of typhoid fever has just been issued by Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. They must catch a ride from an infected person to the well person; this is generally accomplished by water, milk, flies, fingers or food. Every case is contracted by way of the mouth and digestive system.

A carrier is a person who has had typhoid fever at some time and who even after recovery carries the germs of the disease in the urine and discharge of the bowels. Carriers who are careless in their personal habits are likely to infect any food they handle with unwashed hands. Some of the most serious and far-reaching outbreaks of the disease have been caused by drinking milk or eating foods that have been handled by carriers. Persons may be carriers without knowing it.

Typhoid fever is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the ignorance or carelessness of some individual. Persons planning a vacation or trip where sanitation may not be rigidly enforced should protect themselves against this disease by being vaccinated. Inoculation with typhoid vaccine, a week apart, is all that is necessary to secure protection against this disease for two years. The purity of water, milk or food cannot be judged by looking at it, so the best thing to do is play safe and have your physician protect you.



The small fry enjoy fiesta time every bit as much as the older generation, says this young lady who shakes her maracas and indulges in a bit of fiesta frivolity. For her playtime frolic the little girl wears a gaily printed fine wale cotton pique playsuit by Juniors of California with a ruffle for a make-believe skirt.

D. M. Maberry suffered a heart attack and is now in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

J. O. Parker is ill again.

## Firestone JULY 4TH TIRE SALE FOR 10 DAYS ONLY

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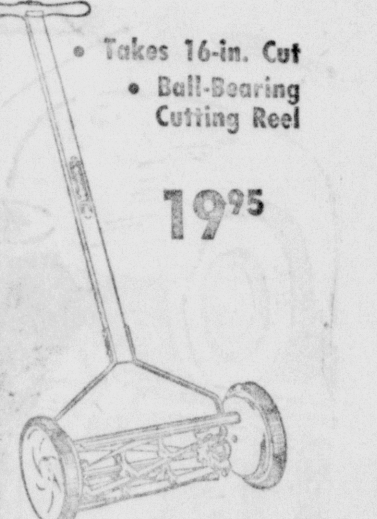
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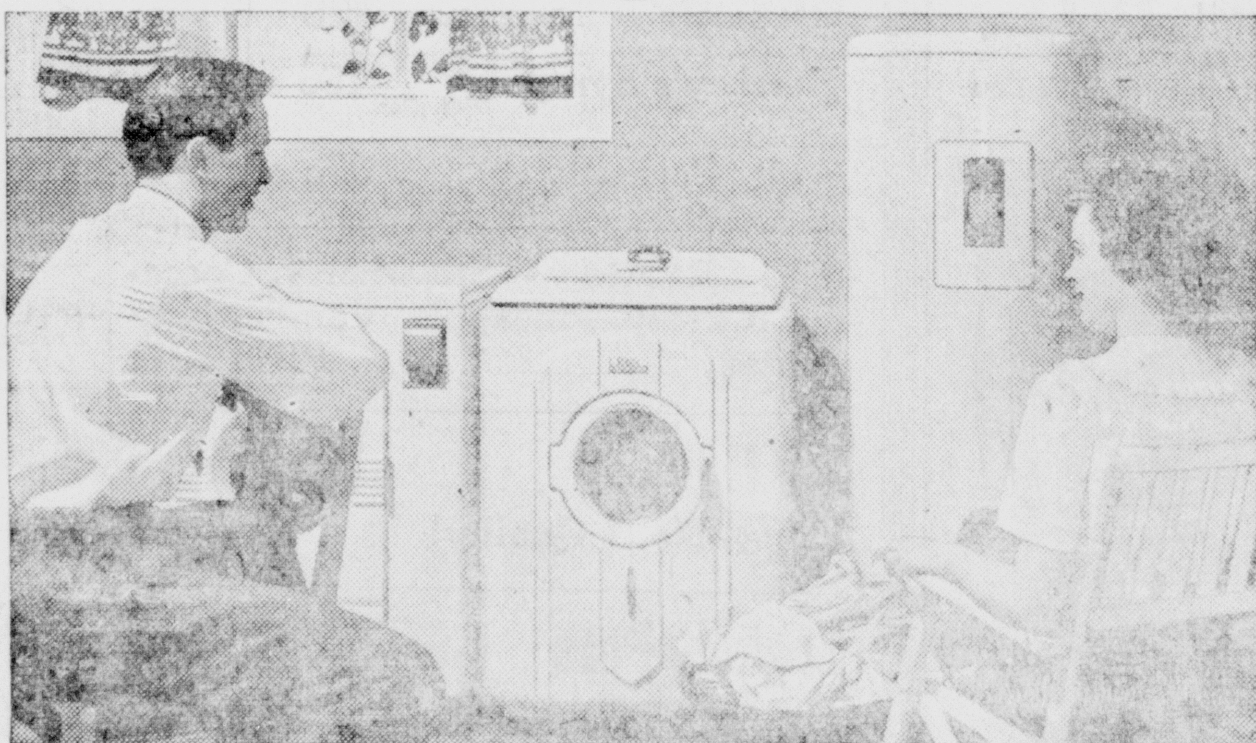
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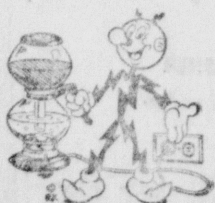


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# OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## WMS Meets Monday in Baptist Church

The Woman's Missionary Society of First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at 4 p.m. in the church in its regular missionary program.

Theme for the year "One World, One Savior, One Task" was centered in Training World Workers for World Missions.

Mrs. Joe Simpson, president, called the meeting to order with Mrs. C. Harvey leading the opening prayer.

Mrs. A. R. Posey played the piano while Mrs. W. C. Russell led the group in three missionary songs. Mrs. Etta Stephenson led the prayer for deeper concentration of Christian women for world missions.

The following subjects were next discussed:

World Missions Needs World Workers, Mrs. Tom Routh.

Training World Workers in Our Schools, Mrs. Herman Treadwell.

Training World Workers in Our Churches, Mrs. Dave Harris.

Training World Workers Through the Home, Mrs. Margaret Fund, Mrs. Tate.

Training World Workers in Our Auxiliaries, Mrs. Delma Shelburne.

More Training Auxiliaries Needed, Mrs. Roy Carmichael.

World Witnesses, Mrs. A. R. Posey.

## Mealtime Magic



### TURBOTS OF FISH WITH TOMATO SAUCE

Meatless days aren't worry days at all—not if you'll dip way down in your bag of tricks and come up with eye-appealing, appetizing fish dishes like this.

#### Turbots of Fish

- 6 filets (haddock, perch, cod, flounder, as desired), salt, pepper
- rusks, crushed to crumbs
- small onion, minced
- stuffed olives, sliced
- tablespoon minced parsley
- juice of 1 lemon
- tablespoons fortified margarine, melted
- cup snappy mushroom tomato sauce

Sprinkle filets with salt and pepper. Make a light stuffing of remaining ingredients, excepting the tomato sauce. Spread the stuffing over surface of the filets. Roll each and tie. Place in well greased muffin tins. Slip this pan of tins into a brown paper bag closing the bag with string. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) ¾ hour. If desired, when pan is removed from paper bag, tops of fish rolls may be browned under broiler heat. Remove to serving platter and serve with tomato mushroom sauce.

For other taste-tempting recipes write today for your free copy of the two-color, 32-page recipe booklet, "Mealtime Magic," to National Cotton Council, Box 18, Memphis 1, Tenn.

## Wortham Crows Return from 3 Weeks Tour Up North

Mr. and Mrs. Wortham Crow and family has just returned from a three weeks tour of the Great Lakes country. Some of the greater interests which they saw and visited were: Niagara Falls, New York, Canada, Chicago, Thomas A. Edison's birthplace, President Harding Memorial and the Will Rogers Memorial.

Judge L. Crow accompanied them through most of the trip but he remained with a daughter, Mrs. J. D. Stuckey, in Sandusky, Ohio. He plans to be there three or four more weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wortham Crow will be at the Crow Orchard during the summer to oversee the fruit crop, but will return to New Hope School this fall where they have taught the past two years.

Miss Elaine Jones, student of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, is spending the summer with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Baker.

After a short visit at home, Norris Shira left Tuesday morning for West Point, New York, where he will enter the U. S. Military Academy July 1.

## Hamlin Garden Club Meets in W. C. Russell Home Last Friday for Last Meeting of Year

Hamlin Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. W. C. Russell Friday, June 11, for the last meeting of the year. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. H. O. Cassle. Mrs. Edd Bailey was leader of the program for the afternoon. She discussed, "Fragrance in the Garden." Mrs. Russell discussed, "Attractive Features of a Patio." The president, Mrs. H. O. Cassle, installed the following officers for the next club year. They were: Mmes. Dick Maberry, president; C.

All dressed up for a good night's rest is this young lady in her printed cotton nightgown with matching sleeping shoes of the same material. A creation of the St. Louis fashion market, this ensemble is high on the season's popularity list, the National Cotton Council reports.

Miss Iris Ann Criswell spent a few days last week in Fort Worth visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Dean Criswell.

James Eddie Jay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jay accompanied Boy Scout Troop 43 to Camp Tonkawa southwest of Abilene this week.

G. Green, first vice-president; M. T. Hudson, second vice-president; C. P. Yates, recording secretary; Harold Bonner, corresponding secretary; R. D. Moore, treasurer; Carl Young, reporter; Ernest Jenkins, parliamentarian and W. A. Albritton, historian.

Punch and cookies were served by the social committee composed of Mmes. Joe McCrary, Luther Marr and Harold Bonner.

Guests were shown the beautiful patio of Mrs. Russell's new home.

## 13 Home Ec Girls Go To Buffalo Gap Camp Monday Morning

A bus left Hamlin Monday morning at 8:00 o'clock a. m. filled with girls from the Home Economics Department of Hamlin High School for Buffalo Gap to attend the area Camp Meeting of the Homemaking Club.

Girls going to the summer camp were: Billy Newland, Frankie Sue Madden, Sarah Ann Johnson, Kay Bessire, Joy Maynard, Patricia Rimmer, Gynderlyn Norris, Oletha Maynard, Louise May, Grace Bostick, Binnie Elkins, Ann Agnew, Peggy Terrell and Mrs. James E. Simmons, supervisor.

## I. R. Witt Family Enjoy Reunion

Father's Day was observed Sunday at the Witt cabin on the lake by the family of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt.

The following were present. Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Dean, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dean, Don and Barkley, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dean and Margaret Ann of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Oran Dean, Anson; A. J. Dean, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Gean Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Witt and Sherilynne, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt, all of Hamlin.

Mrs. Milton Smith and Sandy spent last week in Houston with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Agrant.

## HILTON FIELDS

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## Mrs. Jackson Teaches in WSCS Meeting

Mrs. J. A. Jackson taught fifth and sixth chapters from the book "The Great Prayer of the Bible," at a Monday meeting of the Farrie Circle of Womans Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church.

The meeting was held in the church, with Mrs. D. N. Farrie,

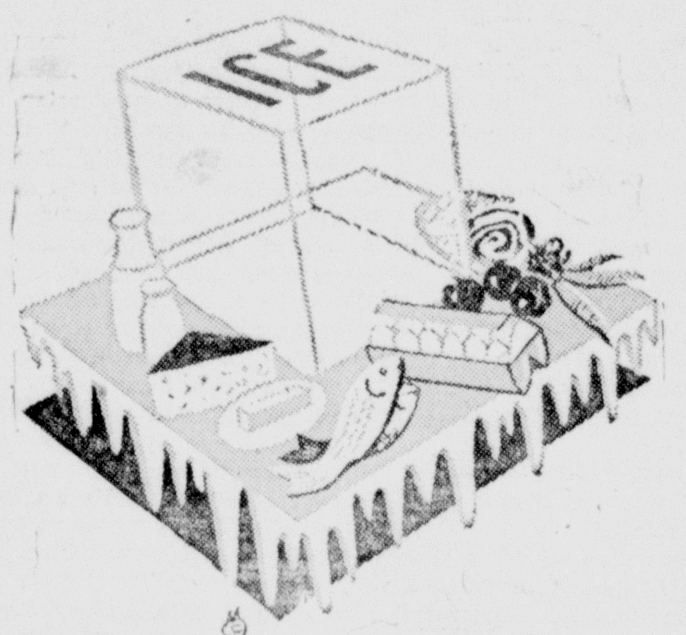
circle chairman, presiding for the business session.

The Circle voted to disband thru July and August, with the exception of one business session each month, and to begin meeting regularly each Monday in September. The meeting closed with prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnston had as their guests Sunday their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. T. P. West, and Dr. and Mrs. E. E. West and their daughter, Jeannine.

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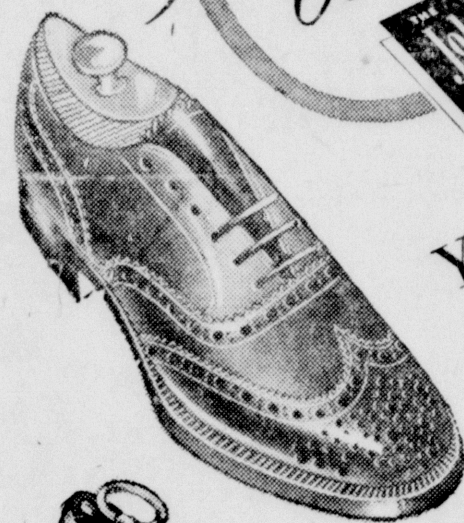
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Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonner over the weekend were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jordan, of Seminole and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Clark and Bro. Cecil Clark of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Miller spent Monday in Cisco on business.

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## Mixed Strength and Weakness Appear Southwest Farm Markets Last Week

Mixed strength and weakness appeared at the Southwest farm markets during the past week according to a report to The Herald from the United States Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

Fryers showed strength at some markets during the week with the prices ranging largely from 38 to 42 cents a pound. Other poultry and eggs remained firm. Heavy hens sold mainly from 25 to 30 cent and turkey hens from 38 to 41. Eggs generally brought the top support level of 37 cents a dozen, with some premium eggs higher.

Hog prices scored substantial gain of \$1 to \$2.50 during the week, and sows rose as much as \$3.50 at some markets. Monday's trading at San Antonio and Fort Worth reached a top of \$26 on good and choice medium weight butchers, while the bulk at Oklahoma City and Kansas City moved at \$27.25 to \$27.75. Denver bid \$28 to \$28.50.

Slaughter steers and stocker and feeder cattle held their own fairly well for the week but killing cows and calves sold \$1 to \$2 lower at most Southwest markets. Common and medium cows sold generally from \$17 to \$21.50, though San Antonio paid only \$15 to \$17.50. Common and medium calves ranged from \$16 to \$25 at Texas markets. Wichita paid \$28 for top vealers and calves. Good and choice vealers brought mainly \$27 to \$31.50 at Denver and \$25 to \$29 at Kansas City.

Slaughter lambs netted generally lower prices at Southwest markets after early-week gains and later losses. Other sheep classes showed little or no change. Spring lambs sold at \$28.50 down at Oklahoma City. Medium and good grades brought \$20 to \$24 at Fort Worth and \$23 to \$29 at Denver and Kansas City.

Quiet wool trading included a few sales of average French combing lots in Texas.

Sorghums dropped 35 to 40 cents a hundred pounds to feature the week's grain trade. Barley fell 10 cents a bushel, but other grains scored advances of one to five cents. A flood of new crop offerings pushed No. 2 yellow milo down to \$3.25 to \$3.35 and barley to \$1.75 to \$1.80. No. 2 white oats sold around \$1.29 to \$1.33, white corn \$2.84 and No. 1 hard ordinary wheat \$2.42.

Feed markets turned firmer too, as drought-parched pastures brought active inquiry. Hot, dry weather revived demand for hay also, though increased new crop offerings held prices down. Peanut trading continued slow.

Usually narrow fluctuations during the week left cotton 50 cents to \$3.50 a bale lower Monday. Spot middling 15-16 inch closed at 37.15

## Caution Advised to Area Cattle Buyers On New Purchases

Bring in a herd or work animals on a farm without taking necessary quarantine precautions may prove a costly mistake, livestock owners are advised this week of the Hamlin area by a current veterinary bulletin.

Stock brought in from outside sources, especially animals purchased at sales barns, may be coming down with contagious diseases or may become infected during transit to the farm, the bulletin cautions. One such animal can serve to infect an entire herd or flock. Another factor to be considered is that new animals need time to become adjusted to their surroundings and will fare better if allowed an "orientation" period.

For these reasons, the bulletin recommends the following measures for safeguarding the interests of livestock purchasers:

"Take time and be health-conscious as well as quality-conscious when buying an animal. Find out, if possible, whether it has been exposed recently to an infectious disease. Have a veterinarian examine it prior to purchase if there is a doubt about its health status.

"Remember that the animal is coming to a new home—the feed, water, soil and surroundings are probably all different. It should not be forced into service immediately, but should be broken in gradually to the farm schedule.

"Segregate every newly purchased animal from other stock on the premises for at least 30 days. In this way, if one of the new animals does break out with an infectious ailment, it will not have an opportunity to infect the entire premises.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Smith and children returned Friday from a week's vacation at Carlsbad, California, New Mexico.

## Hamlin Residents' Kin in Sweetwater Buried at Neinda

Funeral was held in Sweetwater Thursday, June 17, for Mrs. Bessie Boyd, 72, who died unexpectedly in Albuquerque, New Mexico the preceding morning.

Among survivors of Mrs. Boyd's was a brother, Tom Jones of Hamlin; Beach Jones of McCauley and a sister, Mrs. Pat Collins of Hamlin.

Mrs. Boyd left Sweetwater June 14 with a son Jones Boyd and a daughter, Kathleen Boyd of Fort Worth to visit another daughter Mrs. F. D. Windrow, in Albuquerque, N. M. She suffered a heart attack and died shortly after being taken to a hospital.

The Rev. Charles Nunn of Hamlin officiated for the funeral. Burial was in the Neinda Cemetery in Jones county beside the grave of Mrs. Boyd's husband.

Onis Crawford, after a two weeks vacation spent at his Hamlin home is back on the job again this week at Bryant Link Company store.

Ralph Bailey, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey spent last week-end in Hamlin Memorial Hospital under observation for appendicitis. He returned home Sunday afternoon and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bailey were in Plainview the first of the week on business.

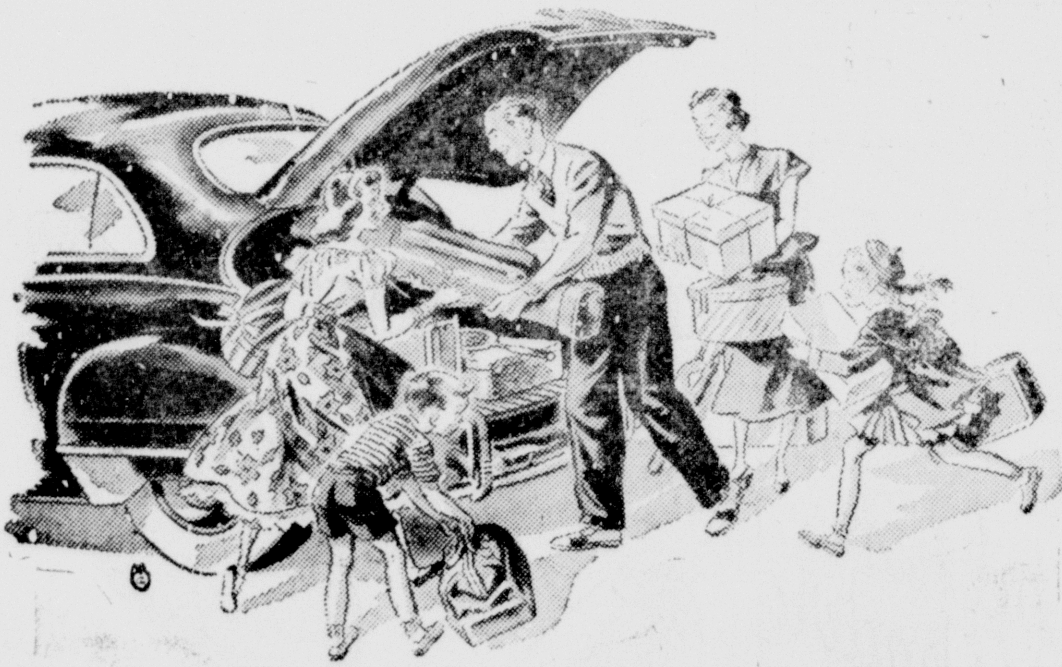
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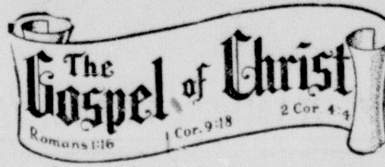
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4.—There is ONLY ONE New Testament church. Matt. 16:18

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Butcher, Odessa, former Hamlin residents, visited here last week-end with Mrs. John Ed Day and other friends. Mr. Butcher is connected with an oil company in Odessa.

Eph. 4:5; Eph. 1:22-23; Col. 1:18. (adv)

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There are only two ways — one leads to hell, and the other leads to heaven. (Matt. 7:14-14.)

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1.—None. You cannot — "join"

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## Senate and Governor Races Feature Politics as Filing Date for Office Past

Final filing date for candidates for state and United States Senate offices found a good list of would-be office holders, especially in the senate and governor positions. Many of the other state offices did not muster even competition for office holders.

Filing deadline for county offices is Saturday of this week, according to Mr. Johnson, county Democratic chairman and Starr Inzer, local chairman, who declares that the field of candidates for county office is among the lowest in the history of Jones County.

For the benefit of Hamlin area people, The Herald gives the complete list of candidates who filed for the state offices.

U. S. Senator—Coke R. Stevenson of Junction; Roscoe H. Collier of Dallas; Otis C. Meyers of Dallas; P. B. Clark of College Station; Lyndon Johnson of Johnson City; Cyclone Davis of Dallas; George Peddy of Houston; Frank G. Cortez of San Antonio; Martin Dies of Lufkin; and Jesse C. Saunders of Orange. All are now seeking the seat now held by W. Lee O'Daniel. Martin Dies of Lufkin has announced his withdrawal from the race since the filing date.

State Treasurer—Jesse James of Austin, the incumbent; and Bruce Lloyd of Quitman.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction—I. A. Woods of Waco, the incumbent.

Commissioner of the General Land Office—Bascom Giles of Austin, the incumbent; and M. Carl Smith of Fort Worth.

State Comptroller—George H. Sheppard of Austin, the incumbent; and Clifford E. Butler of Houston. Associate Justice of the Supreme Court—Few Brewster of Austin, Place No. 1, the incumbent; James P. Hart of Austin, Place No. 2, the incumbent; John A. Rawlins of Dallas, place No. 2; Charles T. Rowland of Fort Worth, chief justice; J. E. Hickman of Austin, chief justice, the incumbent; W. St. John Garwood of Austin, Place No. 3, the incumbent.

Governor—Sumpter W. Stockton of Breckenridge; Roger Q. Evans of Austin; Charles B. Hutchison of Dallas; Casio March of Waco; W. J. Minton of Sherman; Holmes A. May of Houston; and Beauford H. Jester of Austin, incumbent.

Lieutenant Governor—Allan Shivers of Mission, incumbent.

Railroad Commissioner—Tom Blakey of Houston, seeking full term; and Ernest O. Thompson of Austin, the incumbent; Carlton Moore Sr. of Houston, seeking remainder of unexpired term; and William J. Murry Jr. of Austin, the incumbent.

Attorney General—Price Daniel of Austin, the incumbent.

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals—Harry N. Graves of Austin, the incumbent; and W. E. Myers of Fort Worth.

State Commissioner of Agriculture—J. E. McDonald of Austin, the incumbent.

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## Buyers and Ranchers Wait on Weather

There is some talk of Fall contracting prices for livestock, but as yet few deals. Right now, the boys are watching Kansas to see what the grass cattle are going to sell for. A number of order buyers have contracts to buy calves and lambs for Fall delivery.

However, the buyers are waiting for rain before exercising those contracts and by the same token, ranchmen might be able to hold on to lambs and calves until Fall delivery date. And the buyers don't want to contract for something that turns out to be unprofitable, it is said.

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## U. S. Birth Rate Showing Decline

WASHINGTON, June 24—America's birth rate is dropping—but only slightly—below the 1947 boom level.

The office of vital statistics gave the figures Wednesday: 1,149,000 births in the first four months of this year, compared with 1,270,000 in the same period last year.

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The Gibo Desert is in Mongolia, China.

## Worst Polio Record in State History Is Plaguing Texas

The worst polio record in the state's history for this time of year plagued Texas today, but a check of the county health department revealed no cases in Hamlin or in Jones county.

The State Health Department reported that the year's total incidence of the dreaded disease increased last week. There were 85 new cases reported in the state.

The figure was well over twice cases recorded in the comparable period of 1946, the previous high for a comparable period.

"Neglect of filth" was where state Health Officer George W. Cox placed the blame.

He lauded efforts at current clean-up campaigns.

"They'll bring good results next year," he predicted.

New cases last week came in 21 counties. So far this year polio has hit a total of 55 Texas counties.

The worst polio year in Texas history was 1943 when the year's total hit 1,274, health department records show. The disease hit an all time monthly peak of 473 cases in July of that year.

Last week's 85 new cases followed 39 new cases reported the week previous and 60 for the week before that.

Ask a man when he was born and he will tell you the year. Ask a woman and she will tell you the day.

## GIs Asked to Notify VA as Training Ends

To prevent over-payments of subsistence allowances, the Veterans Administration urges ex-GI students of the Hamlin area and their schools to notify VA as soon as a veteran breaks off or completes his program.

A veteran student in training under the GI Bill is not entitled to subsistence allowances after the date he interrupts or completes his training. In some cases, veterans stop their training and receive additional payments before VA is notified of their change in status. All such over-payments must be refunded to the government.

Mt. Ararat is in eastern Turkey.

## Miss Inez Baggett Named Assistant of Students at TSCW

Miss Inez Baggett, niece of Mrs. D. D. Harden, is among the 75 Texas State College for Women students at Denton, who have been accepted for the first semester of the summer session to do student assistantship work in the administrative offices, the various academic departments, and in the college library.

Student assistants are chosen on the basis of ability, interest in their department, and initiative. A minimum scholastic average of C on the preceding semester's work must be maintained by students of sophomore level or higher, and freshman applicants must have been graduated in the upper half of their high school class.

A senior occupational therapy student, Miss Baggett will assist in the Department of Home Economics.

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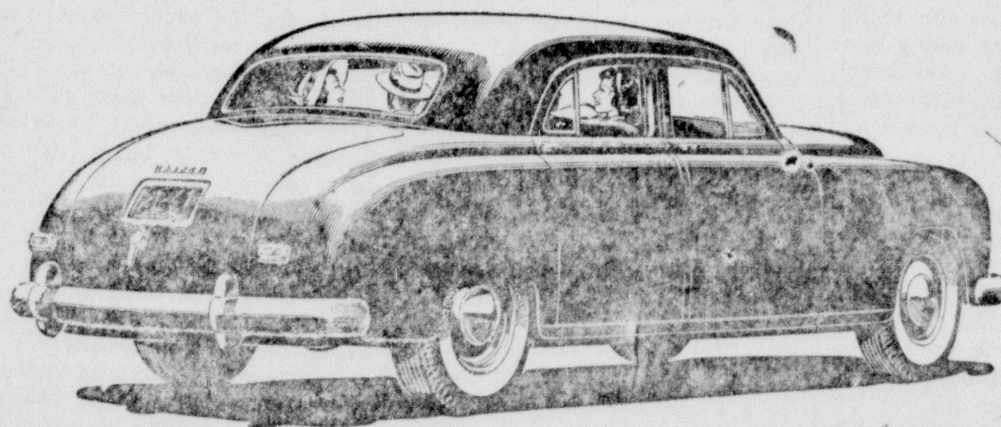
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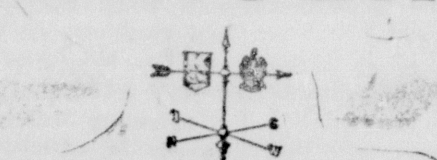
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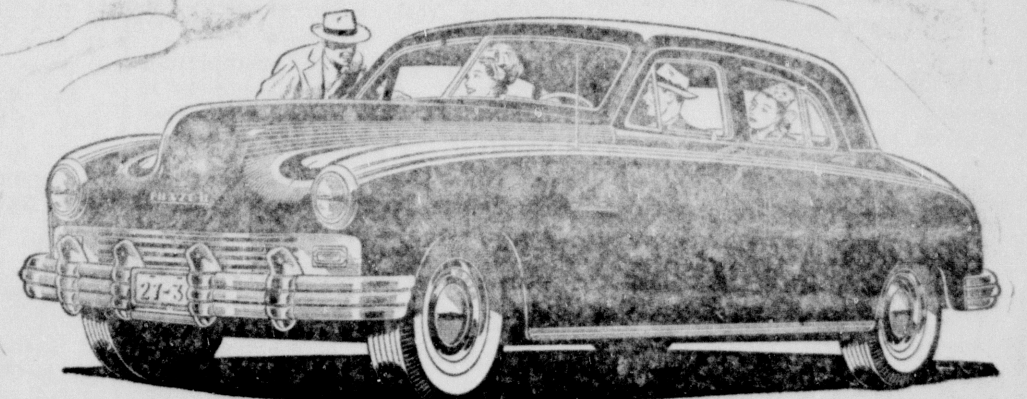
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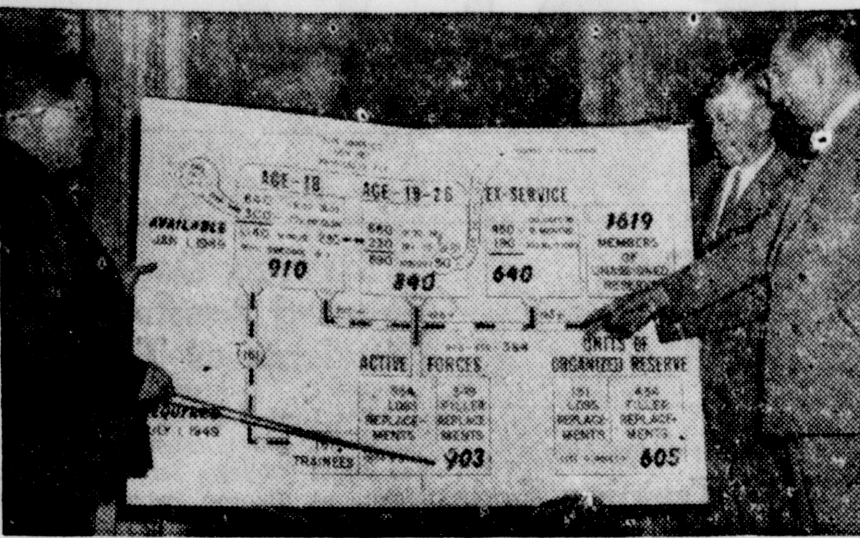


## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

# Truman's 'Non-Political' Tour Breaks Precedents, Hits Snags; Senate Fights to Recover Aid Slash

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



**ODDS ON SECURITY . . .** Seeking to end what he termed a "desperate gamble" with the nation's security, Sen. Chan Gurney (Rep., S. D.) (left) opened senate debate on the measure to draft youths aged 19 through 25. Chairman of the senate armed services committee, Gurney here is discussing the draft bill with Senators Leverett Saltonstall (Rep., Mass.) and Richard B. Russell (Dem., Ga.).

## NON-POLITICAL:

### Truman's Tour

President Truman's "non-political" swing through the West could be described as non-political only in the sense that Mr. Truman, as a candidate for Democratic renomination, had jettisoned many of the rules of standard party politics.

It was a lone wolf fight he was waging—going over the heads of party leaders to talk directly to the people. And most of what he had to say to the people concerned the Republican congress and what he termed its inaction.

In Chicago, speaking before the Swedish Pioneer Centennial association, he hammered out a platform upon which he can be expected to base his chances for renomination. It was a platform for "more and better democracy."

From Chicago the President, with his entourage, headed for the heart of the farm belt, Omaha, Neb., and it was there that he was set sharply back on his heels.

He continued his lambasting of the Republican congress—this time concentrating on GOP farm policies—in a speech at the Ak-Sar-Ben coliseum in Omaha. Fantastically, in the coliseum which has a capacity of 10,000, fewer than 2,000 persons were present to hear Mr. Truman talk.

This phenomenon was variously interpreted. Some said the President's box office appeal had wilted. Others claimed the Nebraska Democratic machine had done a miserably inadequate job in promoting his appearance.

Probably closer to the truth was the plain fact that the "non-political" label of the presidential trip had backfired seriously. He made a political speech and had expected to get a crowd of friendly Democrats to fill the hall for the occasion.

But the White House previously had told the Democratic organization in Omaha to lay off the political hoop-la, and the organization acted in compliance with those instructions. Payoff came when nobody else showed up to fill the aching void which the Democrats created by staying away.

It was an unpleasant blow for the campaigning Mr. Truman and one that might produce grave political repercussions.

But the President was resilient. And in a more or less happy frame of mind he left Omaha on his train and rode away into the setting sun in search of happier hunting grounds.

## AID SLASH: 'Less Recovery'?

Sen. Arthur Vandenberg was fighting mad at what the house of representatives had done to his political baby, the world recovery program, by slashing nearly a million dollars from the appropriations for the Europe-Asia aid bill.

On the Republican foreign policy leader from Michigan rested the administration's hope of reclaiming the appropriations cut in senate action on the measure.

Certainly, Vandenberg has a more than usual affinity for global aid program since it was he who labored to steer the Marshall plan to congressional approval last April.

What the house had done was to approve a total foreign aid expenditure of \$5,980,710,228 to be spread

out over a period of 15 months. The administration had asked \$5,533,710,228 as the minimum fund needed for a 12-month period.

Secretary of State George Marshall, fighting hard against the cut, had asserted that the smaller appropriation would mean putting Europe on a relief dole, rather than helping it to its feet.

But Rep. John Taber (Rep., N. Y.), chairman of the house appropriations committee, went right ahead and swung the ax. He said the funds his committee proposed were all that could be spent with any degree of prudence.

Paul G. Hoffman, head of the European recovery program, said he "certainly hoped" congress would restore the cuts.

ERP was hardest hit in the fund cut. Whereas congress previously had authorized up to 4245 billion dollars in 12 months for that 16-nation recovery project, the appropriations bill as passed by the house knocked that figure down to 4 billion dollars for 15 months.

Other reductions: Assistance to Greece and Turkey was cut from 275 million to 200 million dollars and aid to China cut from 463 million to 400 million.

## DRAFT: Debatable

In the waning days before adjournment of congress the senate had buckled down to the task of producing action on a limited revival of the military draft.

The house was waiting only for the senate to dispose of the question before its members waded into the tricky currents of a similar measure.

Legislators in both houses were treading gingerly about on the issue, throbbing with the knowledge that this is an election year and furthermore there are any number of American parents ready to offer material objections at the ballot box if their boys are called up for military service.

In the face of all this the senate, nevertheless, was trying to do some kind of a job. Its measure provided for the drafting of men 19 through 25 in sufficient numbers to bring the armed services up to their authorized strength. The bill would permit 18-year-olds to volunteer for a year's training, thus disposing of a universal military training act for the present.

Among the side issues that arose during the senate debate was the old bugaboo of civil rights. After an abortive two-hour filibuster by southern Democrats, the senate voted 37 to 35 to outlaw the poll tax as a requirement for voting in federal elections so far as members of the armed forces are concerned.

Actually, it was a minor issue, inasmuch as most of the seven southern poll tax states still have in effect wartime suspensions of the tax for members of the armed services.

Under the senate measure the draft would be authorized for five years, but the program is left flexible enough so congress each year could raise or lower both the regular and reserve forces to meet shifting world conditions.

Drafted men, after completing two years of service, would have to serve in the reserve for five years or, as a matter of choice, volunteer for an additional year in the regular services or two years in the national guard.

**LATEST: In Bombers**

Army air force is developing another new long range jet bomber which will use propellers driven by jet turbines. It is called the XB-52.

The experimental plane represents another effort by designers to overcome the high fuel consumption and resulting limited range of jet bombers but still retain the jet's high speed. Jet-driven propellers may provide a partial answer.

## MINE TALKS:

### More Snags

As usual John L. Lewis was mining the channels of possible agreement in the latest series of contract discussions between him and representatives of the soft coal mine operators.

The explosive the UMW chief planted this time was a demand that the operators first guarantee welfare aid for distressed miners before they can expect his union to sign a new contract.

Thus, the "Lewis situation" in the United States was being brought to the fore again.

Already the possessor of enough government injunctions to paper the den of his Springfield, Ill., home, Lewis received another one before he would consent to bargain with the operators on a new 1948-49 contract. (The old contract expires June 30.)

U. S. District Judge T. Alan Goldsborough issued the latest injunction ordering Lewis to bargain with the Southern Coal Producers association. The mine chief previously had refused to bargain with the association because the 14 member groups were being represented at the contract talks by just one man.

However, Lewis bowed to the injunction and agreed to talk.

In the course of this talk one of the first things he did was to call the mine operators "fat cats" and then wave an arrogant club at them with these words:

"We assume that you would deplore any impairment of your abnormal income after July 1. Such an assumption would seem to be a logical predicate for the making of a new wage agreement before that date."

Briefly, it looked as though Lewis was determined to strike again. Deprived of one snag, he immediately grasped another. As a result the first round of contract talks was fruitless.

## Transition



Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, in the manner of all old warriors, probably will remain a soldier at heart till the end of his days, despite the fact that he has discarded his military trappings for the cap and gown of an educator. Ike has settled down as president of Columbia university, and that's the only kind of president he wants to be, he says.

## GERMANY:

### New Plan

Pivotal point of a hearty and prosperous Europe, Germany long has been under scrutiny by the Allied powers who have been searching for a way to return it to the world family of nations without starting another squabble.

Zonal partition of Germany perhaps has been the biggest hindrance to the formulation of such a plan, and Russia consistently has objected to re-establishing an autonomous German government.

Now, however, a new plan was afoot. The U. S. and five other friendly powers—Britain, France, Belgium, Luxembourg and The Netherlands—revealed a scheme for self-government in western Germany.

At the same time notice was served on Russia that occupation troops will remain there "until the peace of Europe is secured."

The plan calls for international control of the Ruhr and for steps toward convening a German constituent assembly in the three western zones "to prepare a constitution for approval of the participating states."

That was the skeleton of a program which might put Germany back on its feet.

Reaction in the U. S. was favorable. The state department hailed it as a major step toward recovery in Europe, and it also was regarded as a body blow to Russia in the cold war.

But, although the plan asserted with some vehemence that "Germany must not again be permitted to become an aggressive power," there was some worry as to whether France would approve it.

Does the decision to go ahead with the political rehabilitation of western Germany to the exclusion of Russia's eastern zone mean that the defeated nation is finally and irrevocably split?

U. S. officials don't think so. The theory is that although it was Russia itself which forced the western powers to act without Russia, the new program does not preclude the participation of the rest of Germany in the new self-governing federation if and when the people of the Soviet zone want in.

# Washington Digest

## Reciprocal Trade Is Vital To Well-Being of the World

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator

WASHINGTON.—Despite the spirited battle over extension of the reciprocal trade agreement authority, nothing which even its best friends could hope to do about it would be definitive, for everyone knew from the start that final action must be postponed until next year.

Reciprocal trade agreements have been a definite part of our foreign trade policy for 14 years. If they were of any value in the past, they are of even more value now. But with an election a little more than four months off and congress trying to break a log jam of legislation, lengthy debate on the subject was impossible.

Putting it backwards, the reciprocal trade agreement policy is this: If a country is prevented by a high tariff wall from selling to us, it can't get the dollars to buy from us. Or, if the country has borrowed money from us, it can't get the dollars to pay us back. That's what happened after World War I, and the breakdown in foreign trade was one of the great factors in bringing on depression.

But that isn't the only thing that tariff walls do. They tend to force isolationism, extreme nationalism on a country and behind the tariff walls, as ex-Secretary of State Cordell Hull used to say so often, grow the roots of war.

Secretary of State Marshall stated that the Gearhart bill would destroy the substance of the reciprocal trade theory, a theory which is not only the cornerstone of our general foreign trade policy, but the principle which we have insisted must be followed by nations participating in the European recovery program.

The secretary said that "only the shadow of the original act would be preserved in the substitute bill proposed by Representative Gearhart, while its substance would be destroyed." And he added: "I think our national interests would be better preserved to permit the trade agreements act to expire than to permit H.R. 6556 to be enacted."

He pointed out that any serious weakening of the trade agreements act at this critical period in world affairs would "almost certainly be regarded by other countries not only as a surrender of our leadership in the international economic field, but as a repudiation of much that has been accomplished under our leadership in that field."

Presumably he meant this: When we agreed to the European recovery plan (E.C.A.), one of the things we emphasized, demanded in fact, was that the countries receiving our aid would have to break down tariff barriers against each other and the rest of the world. We knew there couldn't be economic recovery if there was not a free flow of world trade.

Even before the E.C.A. was ever thought of—since 1934, as a matter of fact—by vigorously pursuing the reciprocal idea, by concluding reciprocal trade treaties with so many countries (we have them with all but six or seven of the Marshall plan participants) we have encouraged the world to reduce tariff walls. Thus it would hardly seem consistent suddenly to reverse ourselves and go back to the old days of high tariff economic isolationism.

The measure as the house presented it had another drawback in the eyes of Secretary Marshall and supporters of his point of view. The bill would force the President either to accept the recommendations of the federal tariff commission on adjustments above or below a certain bracket or submit them to a congressional veto. That sounds reasonable in theory, but what it does is to smash absolutely the whole basis for reciprocal trade negotiation.

A nasty little joker in the measure stating that tariff commission recommendations must be made on the principle of protecting the special interests concerned revealed the intent of its framers. That provision would destroy the purpose of negotiation by removing trade agreements from the field of the "general good" and narrowing them down to a question of whether the particular industry is to be protected from competition. Thus, not only would international relations and conditions have to be ignored entirely, but broad national interests as well.

Secretary Marshall used strong words in criticizing this clause when he said: "The bill, in effect, makes pure protection the sole criterion for tariff action."

Very few groups outside of the big industries which want to keep down foreign competition oppose the reciprocal trade program. The great majority of the chambers of commerce are for it. Earl Shreve, national president of the chamber of commerce, has said that any

"restrictions on or crippling of the trade agreements program would have very undesirable repercussions. Discontinuance or impairment would destroy consistency in United States policy and would undermine world confidence."

Former Republican presidential candidate Alfred E. Landon came out in favor of the three-year extension of the trade agreements act as urged by the administration. He said that failure to extend the act would be contrary to the Republican policy plank of 1944.

Frequent public opinion polls have shown that the majority of the people favor trade treaties. In fact, persons who know what trade treaties are vote better than eight to one to retain them.

I'm no economic expert, but all I have ever read or heard about the old high protective tariff debates, the experience under the Smoot-Hawley bill, the post-World War I debt repudiation and depression would seem to indicate that the high tariff idea should and would be dead as a doer.

If not, it means we spin the wheel backward to the grand old days of high tariffs which killed foreign trade, made it impossible for foreign countries to sell us goods and spend their money here, or to pay back the money they owed us—simply to protect certain private interests.

## This Convention Is Different

As the Republicans swing into action with the greatest hope they have had for electing a president since the fifth birthday of this year's first voters, there are a number of striking contrasts to be noted between this convention in Philadelphia and former GOP conclaves.

One big contrast is in the size of the audience which actually will behold the speakers as they step forward onto the rostrum. In 1940, some 10,000 people not actually in the hall witnessed the convention.

Two television cameras mirrored the scenes to a fairly select audience, some of it composed of persons fortunate enough to share the hospitality of the Railroad club in the same building as the hall. There one could escape the sound and fury, the glare of the lights, the heat and aridity, and could snack and sip in a comfortable chair.

This year in Philadelphia, the estimated television audience will be counted in the millions, for networks will carry the scene to viewers from Massachusetts to California. Instead of two lonely cameras, there will be the pooled equipment and programming of the various nets.

But there is a greater contrast in the Republican political situation than in the delegates' physical surroundings between today and 1940.

No one who witnessed the Willkie stampede can forget it. It was just about as unorthodox a procedure as history records, for the candidate was chosen, not in the hall, nor in a smoke-filled room either, but out in the sticks. If this is to be a "wireless" convention, the 1940 affair was a convention "by wire."

A group of high-pressure amateurs, who were no amateurs when it came to organized action, was putting pressure on the "big men" in every community, and the "big men" were getting to bosses or to the delegates direct by telegram and telephone. The Willkie amateurs "stole" the show from the professionals, and the professionals swore it never would happen again. It isn't happening this year.

Another highly interesting contrast between conventions—this time between 1943 and 1944—is the hectic atmosphere of today as opposed to the comparative calm then. There was a "Dewey-has-it-in-the-bag" feeling back in Chicago four years ago which took the zip out of the Chicago air. Also the war overshadowed the conclave then. The National Republican (the party newspaper) started off its lead article on June 26, 1944: "With the invasion news commanding the attention of the entire convention . . ."

Another contrast between '44 and '48 is in the attitude toward foreign policy. Then it was the most delicate question which faced the platform committee. Today Senator Vandenberg has foreign policy wrapped up in a neat package signed with his name and sealed with his signet ring. That issue is no worry at all.



THERE are many millions who take either a keen or a casual interest in what happens day by day in baseball. But these have nothing like the passionate interest some three or four million golfers have in reducing their score.

Baseball's major interest belongs to spectators. Golf's major interest belongs to the players and competitors. Golf is one of the greatest health-making and training games of all time for the multitude.

Baseball is one of the greatest fan games or mental relaxations for the crowd, minus any physical aid. The golfer's interest is largely personal. "How can I chop off a stroke or two," asks Bill Brown, "so I can trim that fathead, Jack Smith, who makes me play him even?"

There are things you can do or at least try. For example here are tips that came direct from Harry Vardon:

"Vardon gave me a great tip," Walter Hagen told me one day. "It was about playing shots from heavy rough or from the sand in bunkers. I used to go into the rough or walk into a bunker gripping a niblick as if it were a matter of life or death. It meant power."

"Don't do that," Vardon told me. "Grip the club lightly or gently in your hands. Get the full play of your hands and wrists. Eliminate tension, as far as you can. Most people in trouble, in the rough or the bunker, nearly always develop too much tension. This is the spot where you can't afford tension. Just ease up."

Another Vardon tip came years ago from a British publisher whose short game was phenomenal.

"I'll tell you who helped me," he said. "It was Vardon on chip shots. Vardon showed me how to pick out a spot or a target just an inch ahead of the ball. This helped me to chip or swing through the ball. It prevented stabbing or jabbing."

"Vardon is an amazing man," the publisher said, "on the simple side of the game. He doesn't use a straight left arm. He breaks his left elbow, bends it. But his left arm is straight at impact. That is when it counts. That is where almost everything that counts takes place. At impact."

On chip shots you might try the Vardon system—picking out a spot an inch beyond the ball as the target.

## Golf Is Personal

Golf is your game. To a large degree baseball, football and boxing are someone else's game. Golf is the playing game. Tennis is a playing game. The others are spectator's games.

How can you pare away that extra stroke or two—maybe three or four strokes? Here are just a few more tips:

BEN HOGAN: "At the finish of my swing, the right hand is in control. The left hand is important until the final smash."

"But I can give you another good tip. It concerns putting. Most putts are missed because there is knee-and-body motion when you stroke the ball. I concentrate on locking my knees so there can be no knee-or-body motion. Putting belongs entirely to the hands and wrists. Keep the body still and then stroke the ball. But concentrate on stroking the ball."

GENE SARAZEN: "The big weakness in golf is the tension most golfers develop in being too slow. They say golf is not a game of motion. It is with me. I hit a drive. Then as I walk up to the ball I make up my mind on the club I need. That won't take over a second or two."

"It's the same way on the green. Don't hurry. But don't get tied up. Keep moving. When you've decided on the club you need, forget everything else. Concentrate on that club only. But never hurry any swing."

"Here is an excellent tip. Never hurry any swing or any part of a swing. You can loaf on your backswing. But it is more important to loaf on your downswing."

## Delay in Downswing

"In my opinion," Tommy Armour has told me several times, "the delay in the downswing is the most single important feature in golf. This was a big factor in Vardon's swing, the finest swinger I ever saw play. It was a big feature in Bobby Jones' swing in his later campaigns, I mean after 1922. Hagen was never in a hurry. He was a magnificent timer."

"I wonder how many golfers know they start their downswing before they finish their backswing? They simply can't wait to hit the ball. They get about two-thirds back and then the downswing starts."

"I would say this is the biggest common weakness in golf. The main idea is not to hurry anything. You can loaf on your backswing—you can loaf on your downswing. Not too much, but enough to keep everything smooth. Don't ever rush that downswing. That even goes for chip shots."

## FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: How can I put a maple finish on an unpainted wooden table?

ANSWER: First rub down the wood with fine sandpaper and steel wool until the surfaces are smooth and "satin"-like; then wipe off the dust with turpentine. If you wish to have an orange maple color, you can get this effect by the application of two coats of pure orange shellac. The first coat should be thinned half-and-half with denatured alcohol. For other shades, apply an oil stain, selecting the color that you prefer from a color-card at your local paint store. Apply the stain as directed on the label and finish with two coats of quick-drying varnish.

QUESTION: The mortar is powdering between the bricks of our chimney. How can I repair it?

ANSWER: Clean out the old mortar to a depth of half an inch or so, wet the grooves with water, then pack with a mixture of 1 part portland cement, 1 part hydrated lime and 5 parts of clean, coarse sand with just enough water to make a workable mixture.

QUESTION: Our windows have a rusty film on the outside due to the screens being left on all winter. How can I get them clean?

ANSWER: Make a fairly thick paste of scratchless scouring powder and kerosene and spread it over the glass. After half an hour or so, rub with the same mixture. Finish cleaning with one of the soapless cleaning powders.

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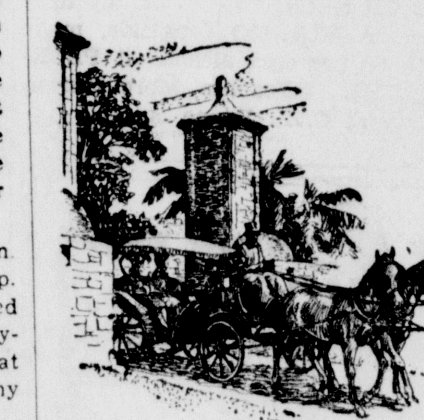
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HOUSEHOLD  
HINTS

If you've been frying fish in a pan, sprinkle it with salt and add hot water. You'll get rid of fish odors which tend to cling to the pan.

Stiffen the bristle of brushes by adding two teaspoonfuls of powdered alum to each cup of water used for rinsing the brush.

Brush the crumbs out of a "pop-up" toaster with a chicken feather. Used carefully, it won't damage filaments.

First-aid for a cracked dish can be applied by placing it in a pan of milk and boiling for forty-five minutes.

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## THE NEW LOOK

By WILLIAM CUTHBERT

JOE KAUFMAN stood in front of the mirror. Two years in the penitentiary hadn't taken the plumpness from his body nor the color from his cheeks. The tint of silver about his temples was becoming, and the change from drab, loose fitting prison gray to tailor-made banker's gray gave him confidence.

"I've got that new look, Pinky," he said to the man who had been his cellmate during his first year of confinement.

"Don't get any new ideas, Joe," Pinky said as he sat on the edge of the bed, "you better do like I'm doing; go straight!"

"Hogwash," Joe laughed. "The cops have me figured as a counterfeiter, but I'm giving up that angle. They'll never suspect me of being a stickup man."

Pinky stood up. He was tall like Joe, but thin. "If you won't take the job I've got for you, Joe, then this is good-by."

Joe was thoughtful for a minute, then he said, "So you don't know who is putting out that new batch of counterfeiters, eh?"

"I thought you said you were giving up counterfeiting," Pinky snapped.

"I am," Joe assured him. "I guess it's just professional jealousy to hear that someone else is putting out stuff that is almost perfect."

"All I know is that you've got to use a magnifying glass to find the flaws," Pinky told him.

"Let's see," Joe mused. "Batson is still up the river, Jaeger and Sims are in South America, Pete and Wilson have dropped out of sight and nobody knows where they've vanished to, and Barody stopped a bullet when the cops raided his plant. It just can't be any of the old gang. Somebody new must have moved in."

Pinky shook his head and said, "You'll learn that you can't win on the wrong side of the fence, but I'm afraid it will be too late. Good-by, Joe."

Joe dismissed his former cellmate with a wave of his hand. Plans already were forming in his mind for the first holdup.

News had drifted into the prison that Lee Stanley was going places, and fast. Lee had been only a petty racketeer a few years back, and Joe never had liked him, but apparently Lee had found a way to become big-time. He was the new owner of the Roxy night club, and Joe knew it for a swanky place.

Joe snapped his fingers. He knew the layout of the Roxy. It would be easy to get to Lee's office, and it would give him satisfaction to get hold of some of Lee's profits.

He went to the closet and found the hidden wall hole he had made before his arrest. The revolver and a box of cartridges were still there. They were about the only things the police hadn't found.

With a handkerchief and a piece of wire, Joe cleaned the barrel, then loaded the chamber in case he should have to use it.

Then he turned to the window and looked outside. Sergeant Cain was on the corner leaning against a telegraph pole. Joe was annoyed, but not disheartened. The cops always put a man on you after you did a stretch up the river. And this was the same copper who had caught him with a pocketful of counterfeit bills two years before.

It would be several hours before he would be able to go to the Roxy, so Joe decided to play with the detective before losing him.

When Joe stepped out onto the

pavement, he saw Sergeant Cain straighten up. He walked to a restaurant, and took his time ordering and eating, noticing that the sergeant was keeping a hungry eye on him outside the window.

Joe then spent a couple of hours in a cheap movie, and was aware that Sergeant Cain was sitting only a few rows behind him.

Then he decided it was time to give the detective the slip.

He was followed from the theater, but kept his eyes open as he walked along the street. Suddenly he saw



what he was waiting for, a cruising taxicab.

With a quick movement he was inside the cab and snapping orders to the driver.

The taxi leaped forward, and Joe looked out of the rear window in time to see Sergeant Cain waving to a taxicab that was traveling in the opposite direction. Joe's taxi turned half a dozen corners before he was definitely satisfied that he had lost Sergeant Cain. Then he had the driver take him to within a half block of the Roxy.

Joe worked his way cautiously to the back of the night club. He smiled when he saw the fire escape. It was the kind that needed weight to carry the bottom section down to the ground.

Joe climbed a rainspout and reached out and grabbed the side rail. As he rode the section to the ground, the rusty iron's screech filled the night, and Joe stood still for a full minute, waiting to learn if anyone inside had heard the sound.

He decided finally that the other noises out in the street had drowned out the sound. He went up the steps until he reached a window which opened into a corridor. He forced the window without too much trouble and climbed inside.

Music was playing out on the dance floor and the sound of laughing voices penetrated the walls, but nothing stirred in the corridor.

Joe tied a handkerchief over his mouth and nose, and pulled his hat down over his eyes. He glanced around to refresh his memory, and smiled. Apparently this was to be one of his lucky nights. He saw the light through the glass in the door of the room he sought, and shoved the door open.

Startled, Lee Stanley looked up from behind a desk at the gun which Joe held in a steady hand. There

was a stack of crisp, new twenty dollar bills on top of the desk.

Disguising his voice, Joe said, "Be a good guy and don't act up, or you'll get hurt," as he moved cat-like toward the desk. But he knew Lee was going to get hurt.

Working with precision, Joe's left hand scooped up the money, and his right hand brought the gun barrel down across Lee Stanley's head.

He jammed the twenties into his pockets and tiptoed to the door. With a quick glance he saw that no

## Kathleen Norris Says:

Politics Cures Loneliness

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features



There you'll find spectacled women, women with bulbous noses, smart and stupid women, fat and thin, dowdy and stylish.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

SHE is 31. She is alone in the world, living in a one-room apartment in a big city. She is plain — her nose, she says, is inclined to look shiny and bulbous, she wears glasses and her color is too high in winter when her hands and feet get cold and her face hot. She has few friends because most of her friends have married and gone away from the business world into home-making, wifehood and motherhood.

Gertrude White feels herself a failure. She is very unhappy. She went to a psychoanalyst, but all he told her in seven sessions was to try to forget a lonely and handicapped childhood and a self-sacrificing youth and assert herself and her potential of happiness and success.

"I like men, but am horribly shy and self-conscious when in their company. I try to think of subjects interesting to them, but succeed only in making such artificial remarks that my purpose is perfectly obvious and they either answer briefly or wander away to some other woman."

"You don't know," Gertrude's letter continues, "how I envy women luckier than I in the way they seem to know how to live. Their simplest achievements seem miraculous to me — having men buzz about them at dances; receiving invitations, attentions, offers of marriage; going through all the steps of engagement and marriage and then proudly taking their places in the social group as wives and mothers. I don't know how to get started. I know I could be loving and capable if I had a chance. I've never had a chance."

## Can't Make Friends

"Please don't tell me," she finishes, "to show men simple friendliness and interest and forget myself in trying to win their friendship — that's just what I do! Please don't tell me to enlarge my interests and join a class of some kind. Because I did, with the hope that it would bring new contacts into my life. The only friends I made in a Spanish class were an old man and his wife, who stuck to me so that everyone thought them my father and mother. And even they never asked me to their home!"

"I want terribly to find myself. I don't want to die, 39 years from now, never having lived."

All right, Gertrude, I will not make you the usual suggestions of charity work in some hospital or community house or study in some night class. I will ask you to do two things.

The last woman to whom I gave this recipe was in a bad way, indeed. She had gone down to the lowest depth a woman can plumb. Ridden by physical disease and a consuming hunger for drugs, she staggered into my life 10 years ago. Now she lives in Texas, raises Shetland ponies and has a good husband. She is a happy, successful woman.

My suggestion to Inez was this same one—to go into a church every day, sit thinking for a while and then kneel to say only the brief prayer, "CREATE A NEW HEART IN ME, O GOD." This prayer never

## PRAYER HELPS

Although many books have been written on the subject, very few people enjoy living alone. By nature men and women are gregarious. They thrive on their associations with other people, families, children and a fruitful, rewarding home life.

Gertrude White is 31, unmarried, lonely and feels that she is an utter failure because she has been unable to share in the happiness of a marriage.

Miss Norris advocates that Gertrude appeal to God for help through humble, sincere prayer. She herself must not remain dormant but should attend political meetings where the furor of debate will cause her to forget her shyness.

goes unanswered. My further advice to Inez is that you get interested in politics. We need women in politics. They have their faults, but they are different from the men's faults and make for refreshing changes.

## Attend Political Meetings

Go to political meetings. Not the important ones; but the little insignificant ones of which there are 10 notices in your newspaper this very day. Go into unfamiliar neighborhoods. Talk to the intense men and women nearest you. They'll be much too interested in the program to pay much attention to you personally, but they'll love to tell you what it's all about. The rougher, the plainer and grimmer the meeting, the more you're apt to find yourself taking sides. You'll forget your shyness and loneliness and presently find yourself swept along to Harry's or Johnnie's for coffee and sinkers, still talking. There is nothing in the world more stimulating.

The day you stand up and hear your own voice saying aloud, "I entirely disagree with the last speaker—" you will realize that the Lord really has heard your prayer and created a new heart in you. Inasmuch as you have the advantage of a fine education and have been a teacher, you may be nominated as spokesman or delegate to other meetings and find yourself in a way you never dreamed possible.

Look at the women at these meetings, the women at parent-teacher meetings and the women flocking out of church on Sunday morning. There you'll find spectacled women, women with bulbous noses, smart and stupid women, fat and thin, dowdy and stylish—all successfully married and many the mothers of children. They didn't do it on their looks. They gained what they have gained because they realized from their very girlhood days that men are like women, too—thin, fat, stupid, smart, shy, inhibited, lonely—and that most of them want to find mates. But since the start is so hard for you in your own group, go to some good, rowdy meetings, where everyone talks to everyone else, and breaks the ice. Good luck to you!

## TRAVEL ABROAD INCREASES

WASHINGTON. — More Americans than ever are planning to travel abroad despite the troubled political situation over there.

Trans-Atlantic steamship passenger volume is 25.5 per cent above last year's. Air travel has increased 31.2 per cent and it looks now as though seats for the Atlantic trip will be in greater demand this year than last year.

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## Tricks for Teens

By NANCY PEPPER

## Trixie Teen Says—

Life for a teen not only has its ups and downs; it has its INS and OUTS. Being IN the smooth crowd and the big doings can make your four years of high school the "Best Years of Your Life." Being OUT of them can make them seem like 40 years of solitary confinement. You don't need a key to get IN; you need a good personality, a smooth appearance, a spirit of cooperation — and, maybe, a little more aggressiveness than you've been able to muster up until now. Once you make the effort, you'll see the results. Instead of eking out a day-to-day existence, you'll be riding a date-to-date merry-go-round.



She is very unhappy . . .



Supreme Court Ruling on Overtime Explained by Regional Director, Dallas

Because many employers of Hamlin who have paid time and a half for work performed on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays, or at hours outside the normal or regular working hours and have treated the extra pay as an overtime premium in many cases protected by the Portal Act from any resulting back-wage liabilities, The Herald is giving the following report to area people according to a report from the United States Department of Labor.

This statement was given this week by the regional director for the Wage and Hour and Public commenting upon the recent decision of the United States Supreme States Department of Labor, in Contracts Divisions of the United Court in the so-called "overtime on overtime" case.

"The Portal Act protects such employers who have acted in good faith and followed the interpretations of the Divisions in treating such extra pay as an overtime premium," he said, at his Dallas headquarters.

"However, under the Supreme decision, employers can no longer follow the Administrator's interpretations expressed in paragraph 69 and 70 of Interpretative Bulletin No. 4 and elsewhere, insofar as such extra payments are made because of the undesirable hours when the work is performed rather than because the hours are in excess of a specified standard.

"For the future, therefore, some employers will have to make necessary adjustments in their overtime pay practices in order to come within the scope of the Supreme Court's opinion. The opinions of the Administrator expressed in the two paragraphs of the interpretative I have mentioned have been withdrawn, insofar as they relate to extra payments of the kind described.

"In order to give affected employers a reasonable opportunity to make any necessary changes in their practices, the Divisions will begin enforcement on the revised basis on next July 1.

"Under the Supreme Court decision, extra pay by contract or statute for hours worked in any day or week in excess of a bona fide standard is not part of the base wages on which overtime must be computed under the Fair Labor Standards Act (Federal Wage and Hour Law). Such excess payments can be credited toward the overtime compensation required by the Act for work beyond 40 hours in a workweek.

"This can be illustrated by collective bargaining agreements calling for bona fide overtime pay at time and one-half for work after seven hours a day or 35 hours a week. The decision explicitly approved this interpretation, which has been the Division's interpretation.

"The essence of the Supreme Court's decision is that an employee who receives a higher wage because of undesirable hours or disagreeable work is entitled to be paid for work beyond 40 hours a week at one and one-half times his actual pay, but that extra pay received for working long hours is

not part of the regular rate and can be credited against the overtime pay required by the Wage and Hour Law.

"Except for the longshoring industry, there should not be any significant back-wage liabilities grow out of the decision. Even in the longshoring industry the amount of liability would not be nearly as much as feared because of a number of factors. Among these are the facts that most longshoremen have not worked over 40 hours a week for a single employer in any significant number of weeks and the fact that there is, in most instances, a good-faith defense under year statute of limitations under the Portal Act insofar as payments for Saturdays, Sundays and holidays is concerned, the report concluded.

Lumber Production Falls 6% in State Mills

Because of new home builders in the Hamlin and other areas The Herald is carrying a survey of the lumber production in Southern pine mills. Lumber production in the Southern pine mills fell six per cent from April to May, according to reports to The Herald from the Southern Pine Association to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

The Bureau's index of lumber production was 74 per cent of the prewar base using the period 1935-1939 or six per cent below May 1947. Average weekly shipments per unit increased six per cent to 222-705 board feet in May or five per cent above May 1947.

Average unfilled orders on May 31 slipped one per cent to 749,150 board feet, or three per cent below a year earlier.

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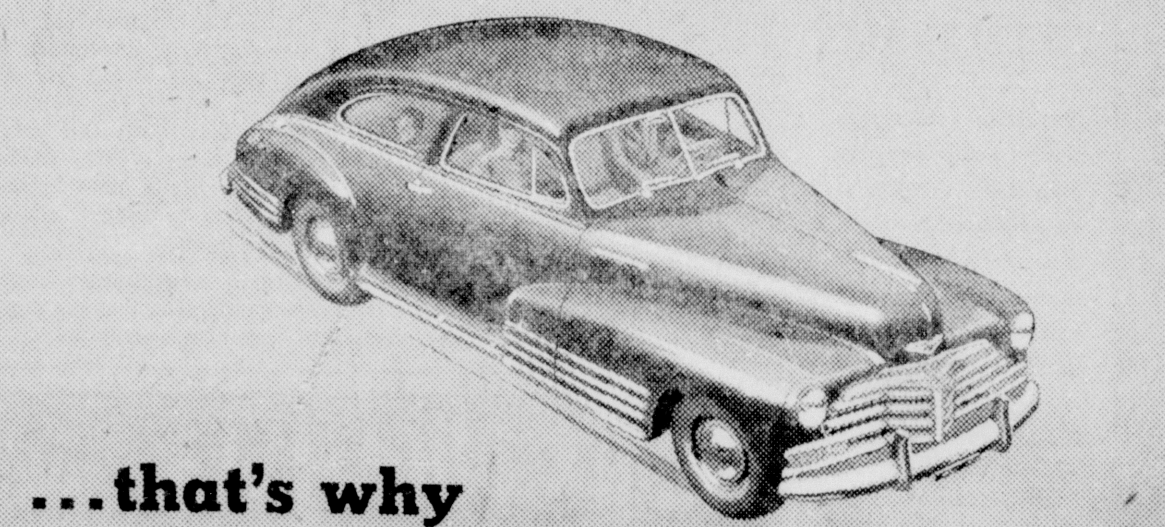
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## CURRENT COMMENT

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By LEON GUINN

The Administration is still having trouble with its proposed 55-group combat air force. . . . Some key men have openly gone on record as favoring a 70-group air force, and even this week congressional leaders expressed dismay at the lack of agreement between the armed forces. . . . Truman has always believed in team-work, and has very little patience with those who stray far afield and start building "air castles" when national security and a balanced defense program are at stake. . . . Each unit of our armed forces has requested the biggest cut of the appropriations "pie" for their own use, thus adding still more to the confusion pervading the congressional chambers.

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Substantial majorities are indicated in both sections of Congress for legislation that will turn the tidelands and probable oil deposits back to the state. . . . Such a trend appears evident now, despite the Supreme Court edict that definitely established federal control. . . . Whether such a measure, however, can be pressed over Truman's threatened veto will remain to be seen. . . . There was word at mid-week that the Congress may well adjourn before the conventions and no summer session will be needed, fall what may. . . . Some doubt remains as to whether all necessary business can be transacted by adjournment time, but a growing tendency is cropping out to "cut out the underbrush" and pass only the most urgently needed bills.

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Since Governor Jester came out with a platform plank on the inflamed "civil rights program," Texas Democrats can look for almost anything to happen before the presidential sweepstakes. . . . The Negroes, as a race, are not such a problem in the South, but the people of the North and East will not let the issue alone. If they keep up certain tactics, we will one day have civil warfare over America's racial problem.

### THEY SPEND MORE—BUT OURS IS BETTER

Great Britain and Russia spend a bigger share of their national income for education than the United States does, according to the solemn announcement of Charles A. Quattlebaum. Mr. Quattlebaum is a researchist for the Library of Congress and his job this time is done at the request of Representative McCowan of Ohio, chairman of the House of Representatives committee which is nursing along the bill to spend federal tax money on local schools.

The Russian system of education is an unfortunate yardstick to use for the measurement of what the United States ought to do. If you have been in Britain you will know that a "public" school over there does not mean what we mean by a public school over here.

But the point is this: You may expect from this time on all sorts of misleading statements designed to influence you to support the federalization of education in the United States. Do not be misled. So far, education is under 48 different administrations in this country, with privately conducted schools and colleges in addition, we present the most difficult possible citadel for the Communists and crackpots to take over. That citadel is worth preserving. It has meant a lot to American freedom and American initiative.—The Dallas Morning News.

### PROTEST VOTERS

Dr. Gallup's poll recently records a fact in the probable Henry Wallace vote that runs true to American political form. The third party support is the protest vote. In large part it is not pro-Wallace but anti something else. It does not follow the Pied Piper's personal views on such things as European Recovery Program and Russia. It has a mind of its own. The protest vote is convinced that it can do nothing effectively in the existing situation except to cry out.

Wallace himself is, of course, a protest voter and usually more anti than pro. In instances—any instance—where he cannot be the bell cow, Henry is disinclined to fall in line.

The two-party political system does not conform to protest voting. The only effective weapon of the protester is a third party movement, which is always necessarily and intentionally destructive. It can and will do nothing for. But it can be extremely effective against. That is the problem of the Democratic party today. It has an uncomfortable certainty that Wallace can not help himself but that he can hurt the Democratic nominee.—The Dallas Morning News.

## Farmers Are Modernizing

Farmers of West Texas are becoming among the most prosperous and best equipped of any in the South. It is a healthy thing for the state, too.

Several years of good crops, good prices for farm products and practices of good business principles have gone a long way toward lifting the average farmer out of the class of the hard-riden, share-cropping stage to one of near independence, enjoying many of the better things that life has to offer. We are plenty glad that period of prosperity has been reached. If ever there were a class of hard working folks who deserved a better lot they are the farmers.

With extension of rural electrification to the rural sections, many homes have installed electricity that permits the use of labor saving and convenient appliances to make farm homes more cheery and less of a drudgery. Modern farm machinery and other devices are making the business of farming in West Texas a truly uplifting and money making business.

## Congress and the Poll Tax

There are reports at Washington that the Republicans have decided to drop the anti-poll tax bill—but in a soft place where the dropping won't make too much noise. Instead of enacting a statute, the Republicans would propose submission of a constitutional amendment to outlaw the poll tax.

Southern Democrats have always contended that Congress lacks power to forbid a state to make payment of a poll tax a requirement for voting. Many Republicans in public life and many in private life, as well as many newspapers outside the South, uphold this contention.

The submission of an amendment for action by the state would reduce the poll tax question to its merits and remove all doubt and uncertainty as to the proper way to proceed.

## Sure, the Sand Blows

It's a funny thing to observe, we suppose, after a fellow has been in this Western section of Texas for a decade or two, how the newer comers to the region are the ones who talk the most about the sandstorms in a complaining mood.

To be sure, we have not found a resident here who likes the sand to be on the move. But we have noticed that when the complainer is asked if he would prefer a flood or a cyclone or a death-dealing blizzard to the sandstorm, he invariably says he will take the sand.

Somewhat or other, we believe that an occasional sandstorm is a good thing for the community. It will weed out those folks who cannot "take it." Then those who remain are folks who are capable of weathering not only sandstorms but other discouragements of weather and difficulties. A sandstorm gives West Texas people "grit" in more ways than one!

### TEXAS HAS LEARNED A LESSON

A burnt child, it is said, dreads fire. And the Democratic party of Texas is a burnt child in this respect. Besides, there is still a considerable faction of "unterrified" supporters of the national Democratic party in the state who would resist to the limit any attempt to restore the "Texas Regular" program to respectability, even with South-wide backing. It may be that the situation is sufficiently different from that of 1944 to insure success this time.

It is true that the personality of President Roosevelt will not be an influence in the campaign this year, that the nation is not at war and the "Stand by the Commander-in-Chief" and "Don't Swap Horses in Midstream" slogans cannot be used. It may be, too, that Southern Democratic office holders and office seekers will regard support of a "revolt" as good politics this year. We shall see what we shall see in due course.

Meantime, it is certain that if the nominee of the next Democratic national convention is defeated, the nominee of the Republican party will be elected. That's the only alternative possible. Most of the Texas Regulars and many more real Democrats in Texas have long ago decided to face this squarely and to vote the national Republican ticket this year, regardless of the nominee.—Southern Weekly.

We've never been able to figure out: "When a doctor gets sick and another doctor doctors him, does the doctor doing the doctoring have to doctor the doctor the way the doctor being doctoring wants to be doctoring, or does the doctor doing the doctoring of the doctor doctor in his own way?"

## Freight Loadings in Southwest District Shows 2% Up Trend

Revenue freight loaded in the Hamlin area and the Southwestern district rose two per cent from April to May, according to a report early this week to The Herald from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Livestock loadings dipped 30 per cent below the April level for the only monthly decrease. Grain products climbed five per cent an lumber products increased fractionally. May carloadings of 291,254 increased three per cent over a year earlier. Variations in the year's span fell between the 15 per cent dip in livestock loadings and the 68 per cent gain in coke shipments.

The Bureau's seasonally-adjusted from April, but rose four per cent loadings dropped eight per cent index of miscellaneous freight car above May 1947. The index was 149 in May.

### He'll Take Half the Job.

At a USO hospital party, a patient noticed that one of the feminine entertainers was only nibbling at his refreshments.

"What's the matter, honey?" he asked her. "Why don't you eat this wonderful cake?"

"I have to watch my figure," the singer explained.

The patient smiled, "You eat the cake," he cried, "and I'll watch your figure."

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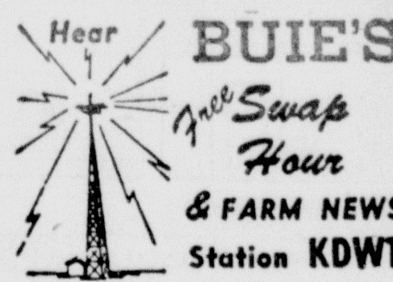
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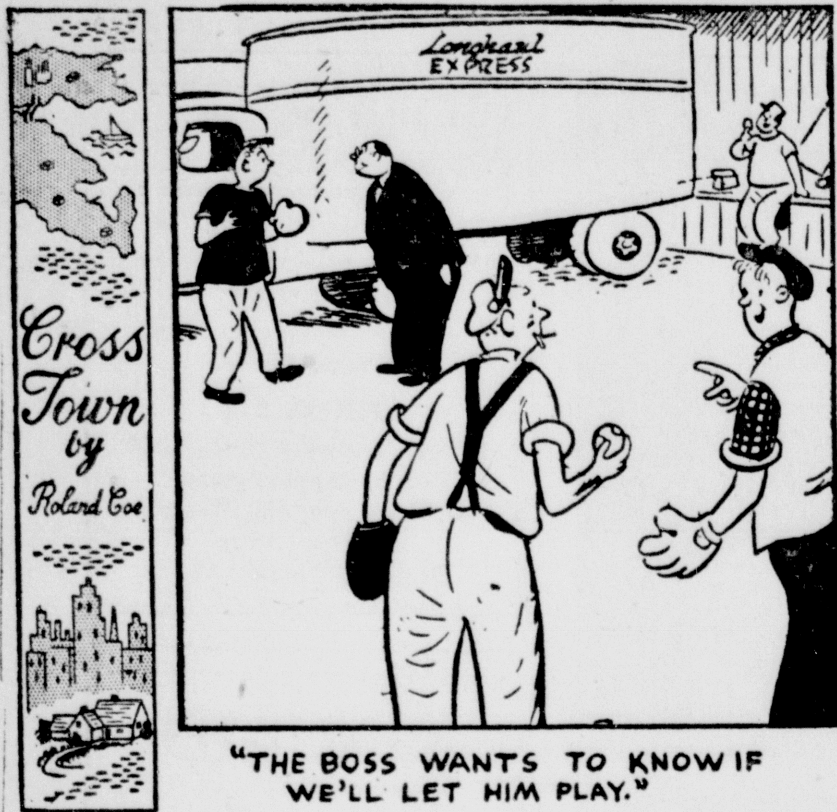
Skilled workmen recently have added 80 new lines to the switchboard at the telephone office here. The new lines have been added so that new telephones can be connected to the switchboard just as soon as more poles, wire, and cable can be extended to homes and businesses here. In this way, they will help us to furnish telephones to many people who now are waiting for service.

We've installed a lot of telephones here since the end of the war—more than 275. Hamlin now has 661 in service, more than double the number in 1941. But more people here have

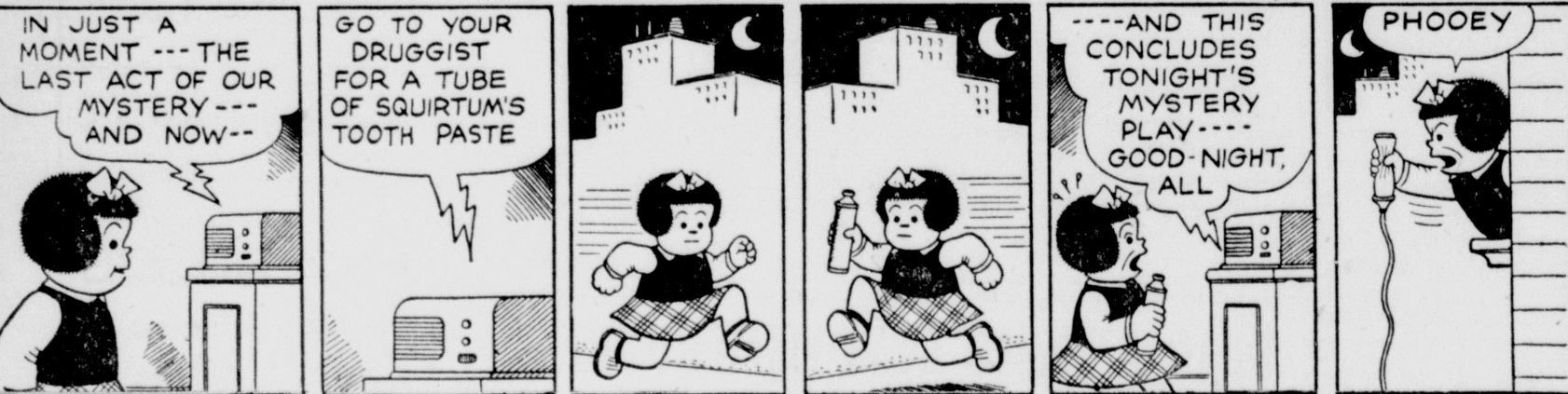
wanted telephones than ever before. New orders for service have poured in faster than we can connect them. As a result, although we have added 275 telephones here since V-J Day, the waiting list has grown from 32 at that time to 316 today!

That's why we're hard at work putting in more equipment here... as much as we can get, as speedily as possible. Each new piece of equipment helps to make possible more telephones. There'll be no let-up until everyone in Hamlin who wants a telephone has one. Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.





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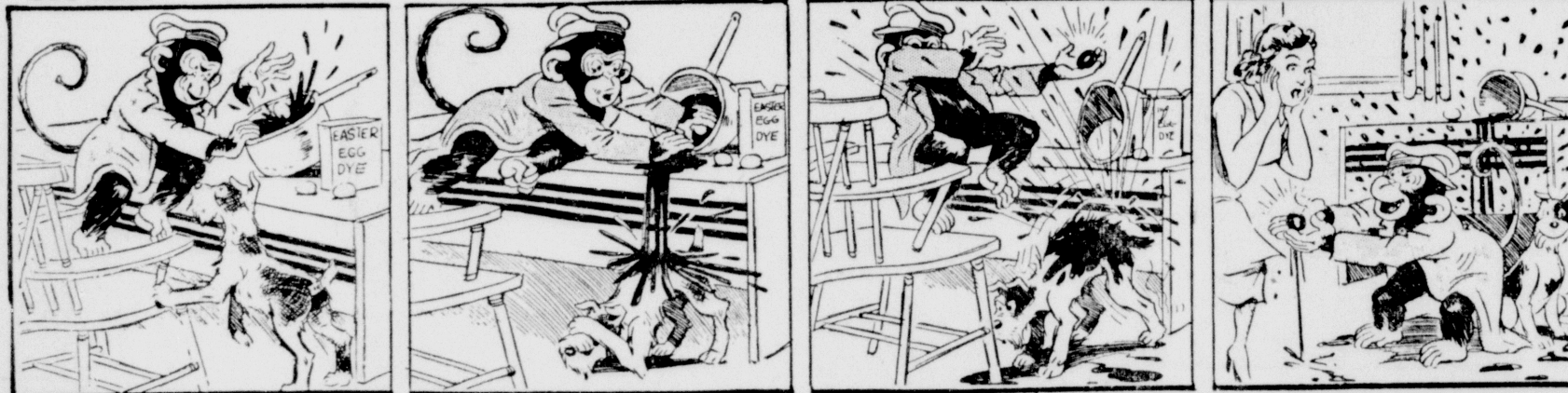
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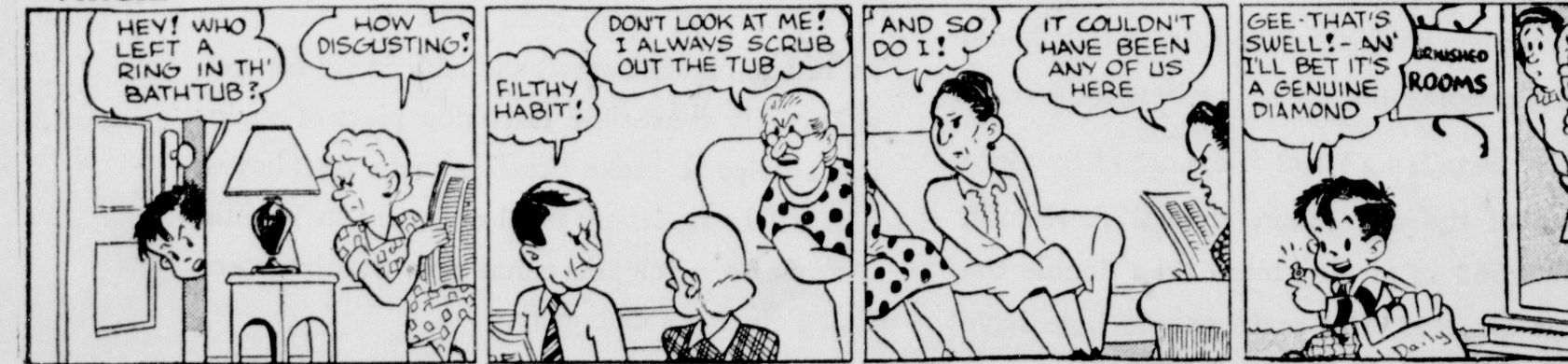
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## Teaching Philosophy

JOHN HOWARD VAN AMRINGE, who occupies an important niche in the history of Columbia university, was a sworn enemy of coeducation.

"You cannot," he asserted on one occasion, "teach a boy mathematics if there's a girl in the room."

"But, professor," someone objected, "you might."

"Then," observed the worldly-wise Van Am, "he isn't worth teaching."

## MARRIAGE FEES



Son: "Papa, how much does it cost to get married?"

Papa: "There's a two-dollar down payment and then you pay your entire salary every week for the rest of your life."

## End Table

If all the students who sleep in class were laid end to end—they would be more comfortable.

## DOUBLE CHECK

A cautious man wrote the following to a mail-order house: "Please forward to me one of those gasoline engines you describe on page 135 of your catalog. If the engine's any good, I'll send you a check for it."

A few days later he received this answer from the mail-order house: "Please send check, and if it's any good, we'll send you the engine."

## Time's Up!

A passenger on his first airplane flight was being comforted by a fellow traveler.

"You have nothing to worry about," said his pal. "If your time has come, you can't do anything about it."

"That's O.K.," he answered, "but what bothers me is suppose the pilot's time has come and mine hasn't! What happens then?"

## Time Is Valuable



A farmer boy was sitting on the bank of a creek fishing when a city visitor came up to him and remarked, "Your time must not be very valuable to you, young fellow. I've been watching you for three hours and you haven't had a single bite."

## A Promise

Husband: "Aren't you ready yet?"

Wife: "I wish you'd quit that yapping. I told you two hours ago I would be ready in just a few minutes."

## Identification

"My girl, said Smith, "is one of a pair of twins."

"How do you tell them apart?" a friend asked.

"Easy," said Smith. "Her brother is taller."

## Good Medicine

"Well, I do say," said the sweet old lady upon tasting her first glass of beer. "It tastes exactly like the medicine my husband has been taking for the last 30 years."

## Marriage Is An Out

Mrs. Boggs: "It's not till you marry a man that you find him out."

Mrs. Nogs: "That's right. It was not till I'd married Nogs that I found he was out every night."

## Disappointed

A SUBURBANITE sitting at his window one evening casually called to his wife: "There goes that woman Bill Jones is so terribly in love with."

His wife, in the kitchen, dropped a cup she was drying, hurtled through the door, knocked over a lamp, and craned her neck to look out the window.

"Where?" she panted.

"There," he pointed, "that woman, with the tweed coat, on the corner."

"You idiot," she hissed, "that's his wife."

"Yes, of course," he replied.

## A Late Arrival

Young Angus McTavish was observing his birthday, and his father decided to celebrate the occasion by taking him for a trolley ride. Stepping in, he handed the conductor 15 cents for one full, one half fare.

The conductor seemed dubious. "How old is the boy?"

"Well, this is his twelfth birthday," admitted McTavish, "but he wasn't born until late afternoon."

## SHIRT TALE

"Is this the laundry?" the irritated customer shouted into the telephone. "Well, you sent me a batch of very old handkerchiefs instead of my shirt."

"Them ain't handkerchiefs," replied the laundry, "that's your shirt."

## PYROTECHNICS

Little Susie's hair cracker, as her mother was calling it, was cracking. "Why does it crack?" the child asked.

"Because it has electricity in it," "Gee, ejaculated the modern little miss, "we're sure in the groove. I got electricity, Grandpa's got gas on his stomach, and Daddy's all lit..."

"Not another word, Susie!"

## Food Digger

She's an after dinner speaker. Whenever she speaks to a man, she's after dinner.

## SILLY JUDGE



Judge: "So you were playing poker?"

Gambler: "Yes, sir, but not for money."

Judge: "What were you playing for?"

Gambler: "For chips."

Judge: "But chips are the same as money. Ten dollars fine."

So the gambler paid in chips.

## Forgetfulness

"Dear Clara," wrote the young man "pardon me, but I'm getting so forgetful. I proposed to you last night, but I've really forgotten whether you said 'yes' or 'no'."

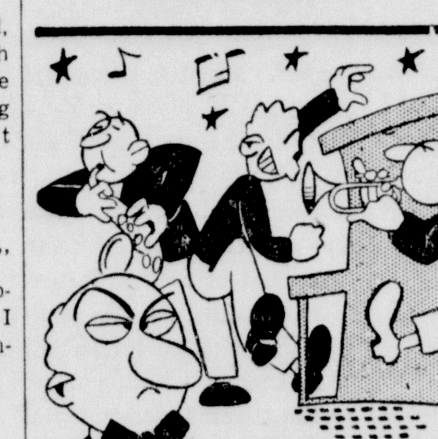
"Dear Will," she replied, "so glad to hear from you. I knew I said 'no' to somebody last night, but had forgotten who it was."

## Double Threat

"I'd fire you in a minute," cried the angry manager, "if I thought I could get another man to fill your job."

"And I'd quit in a minute," sighed the weary bookkeeper, "if I was through with my night course in welding."

## SPECIAL REQUEST



"Does your orchestra ever play requests?"

"Certainly. What would you like to have us play?"

"Pinochle!"

## Dogs Can't Read

A woman went to buy a drinking bowl for her dog, and the shopkeeper asked her if she would like one with the inscription, "For the dog."

"It really doesn't matter," she replied. "My husband never drinks water, and the dog can't read."

## Simple Geography

Teacher: "What is Australia bounded by, Tommy?"

Tommy (eagerly): "Kangaroos."

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# REG'LAR FELLERS

## Better Use Iron For This Lad

By Gene Byrnes



# TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

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## COMANCHE STRATEGY

Bajo el Sol halted his Comanche braves while they watched the oncoming rider with interest. If he were an enemy, he was certainly a most reckless one; if he were one of their tribe, he had ridden with remarkable haste to have overtaken them so soon. There had been no one on their back-trail last night.

This was September, the month of the Mexican Moon in the year 1844, and groups from the combined tribes of the Comanches of West Texas were making their annual raid on the rancherías down in the Chihuahuana country of Old Mexico. It was thus that they kept supplied with fleet mustangs and the well trained Mexican pack mules. It didn't matter should they get more horses than their tribes could use; there was no commodity that had a higher barter value with the Mexicans from Santa Fe!

These annual raids had become Big Business, and the Comanche chiefs were forced to plan them with the utmost secrecy. Thus Bajo el Sol eyed the approaching rider with apprehension, which changed to exasperation as the horseman reined up before them.

"What now, Stinking Reed?" he demanded coldly. "Did I not leave you in charge of the horse herd while we were away? And did you not choose you a squaw not over two moons ago to help you forget the time?"

As Bajo el Sol was speaking, Stinking Reed had been surreptitiously edging his pony towards the outer fringe of warriors—and towards one warrior in particular. But he, too, was edging his pony—yet in the opposite direction. Quickly Stinking Reed grabbed the mustang's mane and faced the guilty Kwahari.

"Aall right, Big Nose, speak," he demanded. "You closed a business deal with me; and then you stole my squaw. Speak, I say!"

The encircling warriors grunted with interest. They had recognized Stinking Reed's squaw with the travois group whether Bajo el Sol had or not. She had cost Stinking Reed two of his very choicest mustangs; and if ever a Comanche loved horses, Stinking Reed was one! A good fight was now to be expected.

Hot-Seat Bound.  
A man about to be electrocuted phoned his lawyer from the death chamber.

"They are about to put me in the electric chair," he said. "You are my lawyer—what do I do now?"  
"Don't sit down," the lawyer answered helpfully.

But the guilty wife - snatcher knew Stinking Reed's weakness. His eyes squinted cunningly as he noticed him unconsciously stroking the horse's neck.

"Yes, Stinking Reed, you are right," he said. "When we closed our deal, we were even. Then I took your squaw. That put you two mustangs behind me. So — you choose any two of my ponies. Then to pay for your trouble, take a horse-hair rope and a blanket for each pony. This proves my honesty. I have spoken."

Stinking Reed's eyes roved lovingly over the splendid mustang and he knew that he must have it. Perhaps he was fortunate in having such a desirable squaw after all. But a good trader never leaves it to the other fellow to make all the terms.

"No, Big Nose; I cannot," and the shrewdness deepened in his eyes. Big Nose remained silent; he was prepared to double the offer if necessary, for he was determined to have her. "Besides these things which you have offered," and Stinking Reed paused impressively. He would like to have demanded another horse but he knew Big Nose was no such fool.

"I must also have—that big buffalo robe of yours!"

Stinking Reed looked at him triumphantly as Big Nose slipped from off his pony and handed him the rope. He was satisfied. He had interpreted as admiration the look of surprise that flashed in their faces.



This Emma Domb gown is one of the group of American fashions which was featured in a Parisian style show recently. A modern version of the early American silhouette, it is designed in Hope Skillman's striped chambray with fish-bone collar; full, full skirt; cuff-like side paniers and a huge back bow that creates a bustle effect. This gown was chosen by the National Cotton Council as an outstanding example of creative

## Saves Handkerchief Wear.

If handkerchiefs are washed in the machine along with the other clothes, it is a good idea to tie them in a loose cheesecloth bag and let them go through both wringer and washer in the bag. This saves wear and tear and keeps them out of the wringer.

# County Reports 1 Death, 2 Fatal Accidents for May

Jones County one of the Counties in the 14-county area of the Texas Department of Public Safety reported that the traffic accidents in May were one fatality and two personal damages. Four Counties reported no accidents, deaths, injuries or property damage. They were Fisher, Scurry, Stonewall and Throckmorton.

Four fatal accidents were reported in the district for May, according to Sergeant Luther Moore, in charge of district headquarters at Abilene. There was one death each in the counties of Callahan, Jones, Nolan and Taylor.

Haskell County, with estimated property damage of \$7,500 lead the 14-county district for May. Twenty personal injury accidents were reported, one each in Eastland, Mitchell, Stephens and Young, two each in Shackelford, Nolan and Jones counties; four in Haskell County; and six in Taylor.

Twenty-one property damage accidents also were reported: Three each in Callahan and Jones County; one each in Stephens, Shackelford, Haskell Counties; three each in Callahan and Jones Counties; four in Nolan County.

Total accidents occurring in the 14-county district reached 42. Thirty persons were injured in these accidents, distributed among counties as follows: One each in Eastland and Stephens; seven each in Haskell and Jones Counties; two each in Mitchell, Shackelford and Young Counties; three in Nolan; and five in Taylor County.

Total property damage in accidents reached an estimated \$25,000.

# Cotton Acreage for West Texas Upped Says Santa Fe Note

Cotton acreage in West Texas is showing an upward trend, due to a failure of other seeding during the spring, according to the June report of agricultural conditions issued by the Santa Fe Railway.

While some cotton is yet to be planted, most of the crop is in the ground and up to a good stand. Practically all of West Texas has received good rains, although they

came late. Usual measures are being taken against grasshoppers and other insects. Reported active insect areas to the extent that replanting will be necessary.

Small grain yields in the southern areas of West Texas are only fair but prospects are fair for good yield in the Panhandle.

Just Affects Some of 'em.  
Inquiring School Boy—"Daddy, what effect does the moon have on the tide?"  
Dad (from depths of his newspaper)—"Not any, son. Only on the untied."



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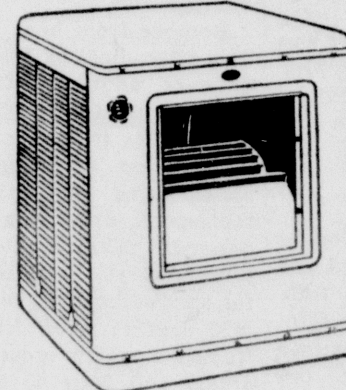
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Damage by counties was: Callahan, \$800; Eastland, \$1,250; Haskell, \$7,500; Jones, \$3,700; Mitchell, \$800; Nolan, \$2,725; Shackelford, \$1,175; Taylor, \$5,750; and Young, \$650.



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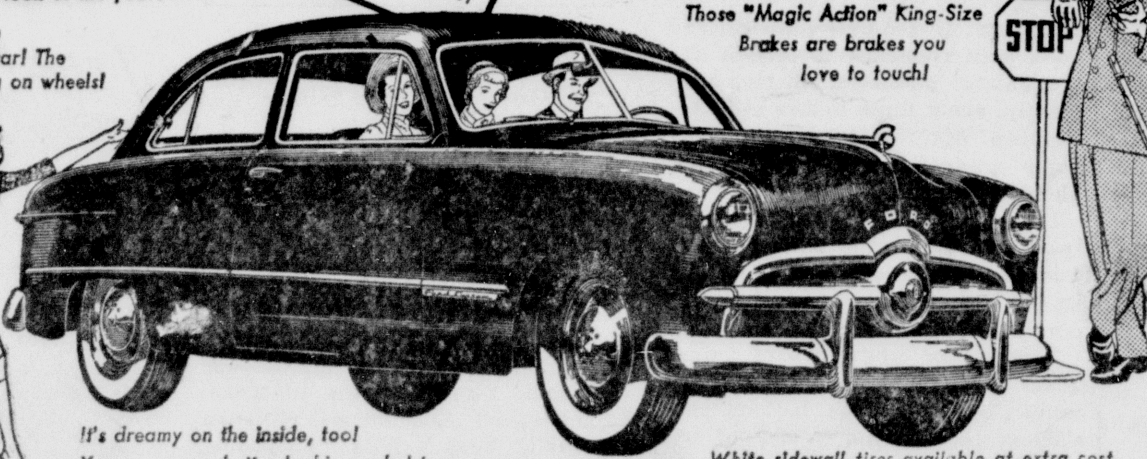
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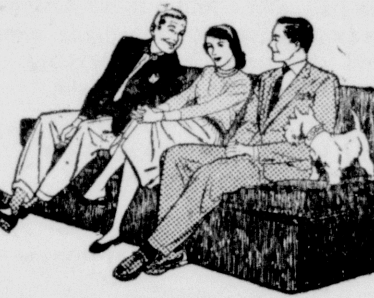
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## Hamlin and Other Texas Schools Under Court Order to Comply With Recent Segregation Amendment

Hamlin, along with other Texas public schools were under an order from the state superintendent of public instruction today to eliminate segregation of students of Mexican or other Latin-American descent in all grades above the first grade, according to an announcement by I. R. Huchingson, local school superintendent.

The order was issued Tuesday by State Superintendent L. A. Woods in compliance with a federal district court judgement issued last Tuesday, June 15, ruling segregation above the first grade to be a violation of constitutional rights of Mexican pupils as guaranteed by the amendment of the United States constitution.

Woods directed "all school officers of county, city, town and school districts" to take "all necessary steps" to eliminate segregation that might exist in violation of the court judgement.

He said he would take whatever steps necessary to enforce his order.

Woods' order in compliance with the court judgement recognized as "permissible" separate classes in the first grade for any students shown by language tests to have language difficulties.

He noted, however, that segregation in the first grade must stop at the instructional level and that all other school facilities must be the same for all students.

## Boll Weevils Show Increase in Fields Not Pest-Treated

Boll weevil populations in undusted fields are higher than at this time last year in most Central, South-Central, Coastal and lower Valley counties. Punctured squares in 419 fields examined in 28 counties averaged 16 percent as compared to 3 percent at this time last year.

Fleahoppers have decreased in most coastal counties, partly due to widespread use of control measures, but they are increasing in most South-Central and Central Texas counties. Reports from 429 fields in 40 counties show an average of 11 fleahoppers per 100 terminals as compared to 12 last year.

Where boll weevils and fleahoppers are present in injurious numbers, particularly in Central, South Central, and in some counties of the upper coastal area control measures should be applied at once. When cotton first begins to fruit and before the squares become one third grown it should be inspected carefully and if weevils and fleahoppers are present in injurious numbers, dusting with one of the following insecticides at approximately 10 pounds per acre, at weekly or 10-day intervals, is recommended:

- (1) Chlorinated camphene (10 per cent or 20 per cent concentrations depending upon whether fleahoppers or boll weevils are more injurious), or
  - (2) A mixture of 5 per cent DDT and 3 per cent gamma BHC (Benzene hexachloride).
- After two effective applications the weevil infestation in 102 dusted fields in Wharton county averaged 2 per cent punctured squares as compared to 22 percent in 28 comparable undusted fields. The fleahopper infestation in the dusted fields averaged 2 per 100 terminals as compared to 16 in the undusted fields.

## Comrades Class to Hold Sale for Swings

Comrades Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church are having a Cake and Pie Sale, Saturday, June 26, beginning at 11:00 a. m. on Main Street near the City Drug.

Funds derived from the sale will go toward erecting swings for children at the City Park.

## Hamlin Schools Receives \$4,488 Per Capita Aid

Hamlin Schools received \$4,488 on June 17 as a payment of the \$55 per capita authorized for 1947-1948. It was a \$4 payment, with another expected in July.

Total scholastics for Hamlin city schools is 1,122 including colored students, it was reported from the office of Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

## Jones County Placed Under Bollworm and Okra Quarantine

Jones County and 19 other area Counties were among 42 in Texas placed under pink bollworm quarantine last week, the United States Agricultural Department has announced.

Area Counties placed under the quarantine include: Baylor, Childress, Collinsworth, Cottle, Dickens, Donley, Foard, Hale, Hall, Hardeman, King, Knox, Motley, Stonewall, Throckmorton, Wheeler, Wilbarger and Wichita.

The quarantine, imposed because of the discovery of a light scattered infestation of the worm throughout North Central Texas, regulates the movement of okra and all forms of cotton and cottonseed.

## Celotex Corporation Announces Increase Quarterly Dividends

T. E. Armstrong, local manager of the Celotex Corporation announced Thursday that at a director's meeting in Chicago recently an increase in the company's regular quarterly dividend on common stock was paid.

The increase was from 37 1/2 cents per share, to 50 cents a share for the quarter ending July 31, and payable on that date.

The board also declared a regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents a share on preferred stock for the quarter ending July 31.

Both dividends are payable to stockholders of record at the close of business July 9th.

## Attends New Jersey Army Signal School

Pfc. James W. Anglin, Route 3, Hamlin, was recently selected to attend the Signal School at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

Private Anglin's mother, Mrs. J. A. Kidwell, also lives on Hamlin Route 3, south of town.

## Charles Ellas New Irwin Co. Employee

Irwin Motor Company this week is announcing Charles Ellas as its newest employee. He arrived in Hamlin last week from Abilene where he has been employed by the Bob Fuller Motor Company.

Ellas claims 25 years experience in the general automobile repair business and has specialized on Kaiser-Frazer makes since the cars first appeared upon the market.

"I have only been in Hamlin a short while," Ellas said, "but you certainly can quote me as liking the people and the town. The thing I am interested in at the present is an apartment or a house."

Ellas came to Texas 20 years ago from New York state. He belongs to the Baptist Church and Mrs. Ellas is a Methodist. They have lived in Abilene four years.

## Safety School Given Last Week by Shell

A safety school was conducted the first four nights of this week at the High School building by the Shell Oil Company. John Reese of Colorado City was teacher of the class.

# Drouth Setback as 1.77 Inches Rain Falls

## Miss Jessie Myers, Veteran Sponsor Will Again Represent Hamlin At Stamford Texas Cowboy Reunion



## Local Stores To Close Mon., July 5 For '4th' Holiday

According to report to The Herald this week from the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce local stores will observe July 5 instead of Sunday, July 4.

All stores are cooperating in the annual program.

Twelve street flags were received to display on National Flag Day, June 14. The flags were distributed to merchants by the local CC. A limited number were ordered in the first shipment as samples and another is expected to arrive in time for July 4th celebration.

## 7 Hamlinites Among 1,105 Summer School Students at H-SU

Seven persons from Hamlin are among the 1,105 students enrolled for the first six weeks term of the 1948 Summer Session at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene the college registrar disclosed today.

Hamlin residents attending the summer school are: Joy Agnew, Bill Harbert, Mrs. C. E. Ball, Robert H. Atkinson, Jeannine Johnston, Mrs. Avelene Lambdin and Mickey Scott.

The 1,105 enrollment figure is the highest yet attained by H-SU for a summer session. It represents an increase of 136 resident students over last summer's previous high.

## HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL IS BADLY IN NEED OF MODERN AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM SURVEY SHOWS

Among other things Hamlin Memorial Hospital needs is an air-conditioning system, it was pointed out Tuesday by Bowen Pope, manager, who is serving without remuneration. He has seen a dream of long-standing come true and he has had much to do towards the hospital's construction.

A Herald representative was delighted to find a modern and complete small hospital and we are sure the Hamlin people are proud of their institution and will continue to support it.

We were impressed with the neatness and order and the soft color combinations and with the latest and most comfortable furnishings. It seems nothing has been overlooked to make the hospital meet every need. The equipment, including that in the operating room, sterilizing department, laboratory, X-ray, the supply room, in fact the kitchen and modern nursery is something of which to be proud.

A noticeable feature of the institution is everything is planned for a future. In a town like Hamlin everything, as well as the hospital, should be laid out for future expansion.

The hospital has 13 beds, and Tuesday morning seven were occupied. The hospital soon will be needing more rooms and beds.

Hamlin Memorial Hospital has only been operating four months. Indications are that it is progressing well.

A few questions and answers were exchanged:

How was the hospital made possible?

Only a start has been made and to complete and pay out the hospital, much is yet to be done.

How many members do you now have?

Four hundred and fifty-four. Are you still taking members?

Yes. Only today we are mailing to A. J. French, Jr., at Tuxedo, the 454th membership. This completes the entire French family as members.

What does a membership in the

## Judge C. Collings Talks to Lions at Tuesday Meeting

Judge Cecil C. Collings of Big Spring told 33 Hamlin Lions and three visitors at the regular luncheon meeting Tuesday noon, some things a constructive service club should do.

"First, we Lions should have a little clean wholesome fun as we go along our every day living," the speaker declared. "Our meetings are a place of fellowship where we can swap problems one with another and become better acquainted." The third step stressed was that any service club should serve the town and community. Should have some worthwhile object as its goal and not be satisfied until it was accomplished.

President I. R. Huchingson introduced Judge Owen Thomas as a visitor, who in turn presented Speaker Collings. Other visitors were John Davenport of San Angelo; Travis Anderson, Texas City and M. H. Pruitt. Invocation was by W. C. Russell.

## Rotarians Hear Forrest Greenway

Rotary Club, who will install new officers at next week's meeting, met Wednesday at noon in the High School lunch room. They were entertained by an interesting talk by Forrest Greenway and at the same time saw a heavy downpour of rain fall.

Arthur Albritton led the group in singing America, accompanied at the piano by Miss Janet Bonner. Rev. Hugo Hilerius, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Ericksdale, near Stamford said the invocation.

President J. C. Turner introduced as visitors: J. D. Greenway, Antonio, California; Chuck Rogers, Sweetwater; Rev. H. L. Smith, near Hamlin Nazarene pastor, and Rev. A. R. Posey, another new pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Speaker Greenway, a former resident of Hamlin is a graduate of Harvard University in Boston, Mass., and his talk dealt mostly with the business school. He gave various phases of business and said he was glad to be back in Hamlin again, stating "the town is growing."

## Attention! Gold Star Mothers

Gold Star Mothers of the Hamlin area are requested to contact Edgar Duncan, adjutant of the American Legion immediately.

Gold Star pins are to be ordered in the near future and all mothers desiring one are urged to contact Mr. Duncan.

## Boy Scout Troop Spending Week at Camp Tonkawa

Hamlin Boy Scout Troop 43 left Sunday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. for a week's outing at Camp Tonkawa, 18 miles southwest of Abilene. They expect to return home Saturday.

Fifteen boys, accompanied by Joe King, acting Scoutmaster, made the trip.

The boys included the following: Sherrod Shaffer, Joe Don Hymen, Troyce Hargrove, Loyce Hargrove, Guy Weaver, Robert Fletcher, Jms. Eddie Jay, Robert Angel, Gerald Fudge, Robert Bonner, Fred Winklett, Don Gregory, Kenneth Barnett and Jon Adams.

King, who is director of the local Youth Program, stated that activities will be resumed Monday beginning at 5:00 o'clock p. m. He urged all boys, from six to 16 years to attend whether or not they are Boy Scouts.

The Youth Program began May 31, King stated, with an average attendance of 20 boys. They meet at the baseball park daily except Saturday and Sunday. Activities include: swimming, baseball, boxing, "chinning", wasser pitching and tennis.

Thursday of last week King accompanied 23 boys to Anson for a swim meet in a station wagon furnished by Hamlin Motor Company and other automobiles.

## WTU Completing Voltage Line from Roby to Anson

Construction crews of the West Texas Utilities Company this week are completing a project which began four months ago when they started converting a 33,000 volt line to 66,000 volts.

The high voltage line started at Roby, extends through Hamlin and on to Anson. In Hamlin a new sub-station has been constructed in the northeast part of the city.

"Company crews have been stringing larger wires and installing more powerful conductors throughout Hamlin to take care of the increased electrical load," declared B. M. Brundage, local WTU manager Wednesday.

Four crews with a total average of 28 men from Stamford and Abilene have been busy the past four months, making the change-over. Total expenditure figures were unavailable.

## PRECIPITATION STARTS AT NOON WITH UPPER LAKE NEAR SPILLWAY

It rained on the "just and unjust" in Hamlin and surrounding communities Wednesday afternoon and evening when 1.77 inches fell within the city with a heavier fall reported west of town.

Reports reaching The Herald office early Thursday morning said the Upper Lake west of Hamlin lacked only 33 inches of running over the spillway at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday. The lake was rising at the rate of one inch every 15 minutes.

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## Services at Fairview Baptist Announced

Announcement is made this week that Rev. S. R. Respass of Swenson will preach at both morning and evening services at Fairview Baptist church Sunday, June 27.

Every member is urged to be present as well as the general public is invited.

The Herald regrets it was unable to get details regarding the death of Mr. J. S. Criswell. However, we expect to have the full account in next week's edition. News section early is appreciated.

## New Outpost Location Is Filed in Fisher Seven Miles West of Hamlin

Seven miles west of Hamlin location for a new northeast extension to the Round Top field, Fisher county deep reef production has been filed by General Crude Oil Company of Houston.

It is the No. 3 W. H. Jackson et al, 330 feet from the east and 1,250 from the south line of section 88, block 1, H&TC survey.

On permit for 4,900 feet, rotary rig is to be moved to the location.

Meanwhile, operators have set casing and are preparing to complete in the reef on the General Crude Oil Company No. 2 W. H. Jackson et al, 467 feet from the west and south lines of section 88 block 1 H&TC survey.

Casing was set at 4,807 feet, above total depth of 4,853, after 2 feet of the section had been cored and showed saturation, and a drill stem test had given recovery of 500 feet of oil and 300 of oil cut mud. The No. 2 was a twin to the No. 1 which was completed as a Swastika discovery.

At press time no definite report had been received from the South Lake, main water supply for the city. However, one source said the lake had caught considerable water late Wednesday.

Last precipitation recorded at the City Pump Station was June 13th when .10 inch of rain fell. June's total now reads 2.14 inches.

Hamlin has received a total of 6.75 inches of rain for the year, or about one-half of normal.

Rainfall by months follows:

January	.....	.12
February	.....	.92
March	.....	.40
April	.....	.33
May	.....	2.83
June	.....	2.14

The drouth seems partially, if not definitely broken. Not only has it been dry but it has been hot as well. Row crops that were promising 10 days ago have suffered greatly the past few days with a high south wind blowing almost continuously.

It may be too late for cotton planting now, one source disclosed Thursday, but he said that which was up would benefit materially. Most farmers are expected to start planting maize and negari.

Hamlin ranchmen were jubilant Thursday morning as their position before the rain was become more precarious. New prospects for fall grass are better. Many of them have shipped their cattle to other states for the summer.

All in all, there is no sweeter music to a drouth-stricken area than craking frogs after a rain.

## Santa Fe Carloadings Go On Upward Trend

Santa Fe carloadings for the week ending June 19 were 32,220 as compared with 28,687 for the same week in 1947.

Cars received from connections totaled 11,737 as compared with 10,424 for the same week in 1947. Total cars moved were 43,977 as compared with 39,111 for the same week in 1947. Santa Fe handled a total of 41,901 cars in the preceding week of this year.

## More Rent Houses Needed in Hamlin

Hamlin is growing daily! That is the statement of Mrs. E. M. Wilson, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce, if calls for apartments and houses is any indication.

"Tuesday we placed three families in homes, due to the co-operation of the public and I wish to thank each and every one who has responded. But we need considerable more housing in Hamlin," she stressed.

A revival of oil activities here is cause for the demand of housing facilities, it was pointed out. Every day entire families are being turned away because there is no place for them to live.

There are approximately 8 new homes within the city in the process of being completed but a reliable source pointed out these residences will not be for rent.



## Political Office Announcements

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, election to be subject to action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 24:

For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, 11th Judicial District:  
CECIL C. COLLINGS

For State Senate, 24th District:  
HARLEY SADLER  
PAT BULLOCK

For District Clerk:  
LEON THURMAN

For Tax-Assessor-Collector:  
ELZY BENNETT

For County Attorney:  
GEORGE P. HUDSON  
CHAS. E. BROWNFIELD JR.

For County Clerk:  
H. O. (Herb) ROWLAND JR.

For County Judge:  
ROGER Q. GARRETT JR.

For County Treasurer:  
GENE SPURGIN JR.

For Sheriff:  
BILL DUNDOWY  
BEN F. BAILEY

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1:  
ROY C. BROWN  
R. B. (Boone) BOYD

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2 of Fisher County:  
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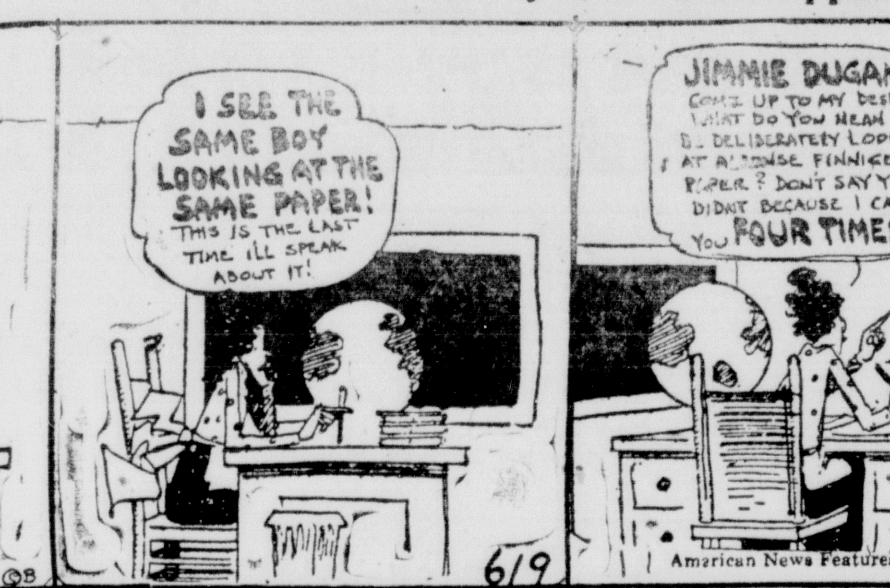
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## REG'LAR FELLERS



## Jimmy Was Handicapped



## By Gene Byrnes



## Despite Decrease of 100,000,000 Farm Workers, It Increases

Although a million workers have left farms and ranches since 1935, agricultural food production has been increased during that time to a point 40 percent above any previous peak, Department of Agriculture records submitted to The Herald show.

This increased productivity has been obtained, it was pointed out, as the nation has swung increasingly to oil-powered farming. Since 1935, the number of tractors on farms has virtually tripled and now stands at 3,000,000, operating over 15,000,000 farm implements.

Use of trucks on farms has also greatly increased, the department points out, with almost one-third of the nation's trucks now in use on farms and ranches. Of a total of 6,492,000 trucks, 1,880,000 or 29 percent, are now in use in agricultural work. This is an increase of 61 percent since the war began.

## Personal News:

Dannie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maberry is ill again and is undergoing treatments in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Simpkins of Rule visited in Lubbock over last week-end.

THE STYLE MART \$1 specials are all useful items. 1c

Mr. and Mrs. Art Carmichael and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carmichael left Saturday for Bush Ranch, New Mexico on a week's vacation. They are expected to return home Saturday.

These trucks, it was noted, added to 4,800,000 farm automobiles and 3,000,000 tractors, make the farm a major user of oil products today.

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Mr. R. L. Kite visited her daughters, Misses La Rue and Oleta Kite, in Abilene this past week.

## Lots Distinguished Guests Expected Stamford Reunion

When Texas Cowboy Reunion Association members meet at the 15th annual Reunion in Stamford July 2, 3 and 5, there will be many distinguished guests and members on its roster. Ernest O. Thompson, Bill Murray and Olin Culbertson, Texas Railroad Commissioners, will be among guests at the annual affair.

The Texas Cowboy Reunion Association was first organized at the original Texas Cowboy Reunion June 28, 1930, and is now incorporated. It is the largest cowboy organization in the world. The membership is made up of cowboys required to be 50 years of age or over, and to have been actual cowboys 35 years prior to registration.

Its roll at one time listed fifteen hundred, but time has reduced the ranks to a regular membership of 650. Widows of deceased members have the right to succeed to the membership of their husbands, and many take advantage of that privilege. Several of them have served on the board of directors. Many distinguished ranchers, trail drivers, authors, artists and professional men who rode the range for years, have graced the Texas Cowboy Reunion Ralls.

The organization was among the first to revive the square dance, Hall.

## Bits of News:

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson left Wednesday morning by train for Detroit, Michigan to visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Wilson and their granddaughter, Cynthia Ann. They will also visit Niagara Falls, New York and points in Canada while away.

Clarence C. Bailey, of the Bryane-Link Company, who has been a resident of Hamlin since 1906, this week is spending his annual vacation resting at his home here and doing "odds and ends" around the place.

THE STYLE MART has a Surprise for you in our \$1 sale. 1c

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cleo Scott and children, Larry and Betty spent a few days in Marshall last week visiting Mr. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Scott. While in Marshall Mr. Scott preached there on Wednesday evening.

Patricia Bennett returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Spur.

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FOR RENT—Magnetic vacuum cleaner, all attachments, \$1 per day—White Auto Store. 3tfe

FOR SALE—Four foot Frigidaire, good condition. See at new Lake. J. C. Cauble. 1p

FOR SALE—VFW Club House out at the lake—See Clifford Reynolds Sr., Lovell Stell or Charles Gardner. 32-tfe

FOR SALE—1942 Special Deluxe 2-door Chevrolet, with radio and heater and is in good condition—Gardner's Tire & Auto Supply. 1c

FOR SALE—Charus 35 mm camera f 2.8 Wollensak lens, range finder, \$75.—Call 241. 1c

FOR SALE—Plenty of Cherry and Yellow Plums \$1; Peaches \$1.50 in orchard, 2 miles west Boyd Chapel on Highway 180. H. H. Hobbs. 1p

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WANT To Buy clean rags no buttons and No Khaki 12c per pound.—Hamlin Motor Co. 32-tfe

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors, the Gyp Mill folks, the Church of Christ, and others, for the many kindnesses rendered during the sickness and death of Mr. J. S. Criswell. Mrs. J. S. Criswell and the Criswell Children.

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## Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—One four-room house also Allis-Chalmers combine, six foot, good shape.—See or phone H. W. Madden. 22-tfe

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FOR SALE—Nice four-room house with bath and one lot.—See Onis Crawford. 1c

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE  
329 ACRE FARM—300 in cultivation, black land, plenty of water. Fair improvements, REA line, school bus run by house. A good place to own at \$115 per acre. Can assume a \$12,000 loan at 4 per cent interest. All mineral rights save 1-16 go with the sale. Leased for five years, and to run for four more years at \$1. rental. Located between Hamlin and Stamford. 1c

390 ACRE FARM—220 in cultivation, good improvements, plenty of water, creek runs through. Excellent stock farm. Good sandy loam soil. Price \$75 per acre and can assume \$12,000 loan on place at four per cent interest. All mineral rights save 1-16 goes with sale of place. Will get rent on 100 acres of maize. This place is well located between Hamlin and Stamford.

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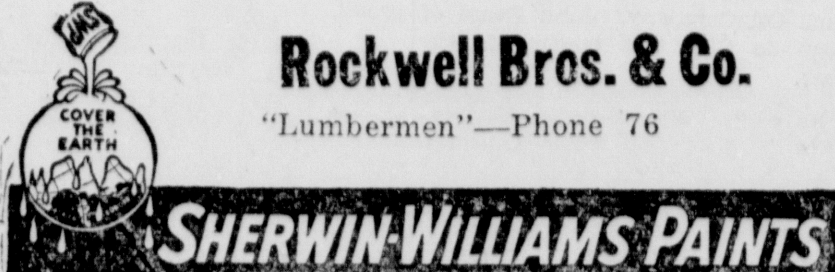
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Harold Bonner's had as the guest last week Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bonner and daughter, Montie, from Denning, New Mexico, also their mother, Mrs. Z. D. Bonner of Sweetwater.

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## Retail Sales Show Rise Above April, 4% Up on Last Year

Texas retail sales rose fractionally above April to an estimated \$449,000,000, according to preliminary tabulations of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Influenced by seasonal factors, jewelry stores and furniture and household stores sales gained over April, 23 per cent and five per cent respectively. However those seasonal increases were below normal. Sales of other durable goods declined, resulting in an over-all decrease of one per cent. Sales of automobile stores fell four per cent; and building materials, lumber and hardware, two per cent.

Dollar sales of durable goods stores climbed eight per cent from May 1947. All stores in this group reported higher sales from May 1948 except hardware stores, which reported to be down three per cent. Nondurable goods stores reported a two per cent gain over April. Florists' sales jumped 30 per cent above their April level for the greatest monthly increase among Texas retailers. On the other hand, apparel store sales fell one per cent.

Food sales edged up two per cent in May and five per cent above May 1947. Grocery stores, without meat, led the group with a seven per cent increase over April. Compared to a year earlier, the combination store sales led the pace by stepping up sales seven per cent above May 1947.

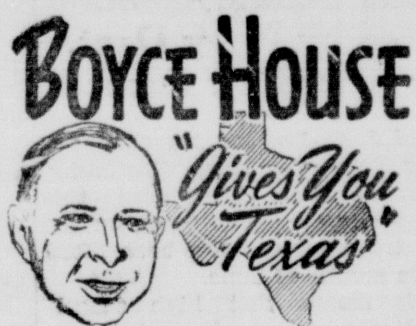
## Joyce Culbertson is Named TSCW as the Fish Dance Chairman

Miss Joyce Culbertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Culbertson of Hamlin is the freshman dormitory dance chairman for the Texas State College for Women All-College dance to be held Saturday on the terrace at the Virginia Carroll Lodge according to a report to The Herald early this week.

Music to the dancing will be furnished by the TSCW Serenaders.

Miss Bernadette Henkin of Ramsey, New Jersey, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Shira the past two weeks. This was her first visit to the West and she was surprised that the people did not wear big hats and six-guns.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY and Monday are the \$1 days at The Style Mart.



Women's clothes have "that new look"—but my clothes get "that old look", just as soon as I put 'em on. A suit looks good on the dummy in the window but not on me. On me, the suit doesn't hang right; it just hangs.

And my knees are knobby, so at once the suit bags at the knees.

Or take a hat—Other men can buy light gray, or even white hats and they stay spick and span for months. But, regardless of what I pay, my hat gets spotted right away and one side of the brim flops.

And ties—mine wrinkle after the third wearing, except when they wrinkle after the second wearing.

And even as little a thing in the direction of neatness as a shoeshine—within 10 minutes after I get one, somebody steps on my foot in an elevator.

There ain't no justice.

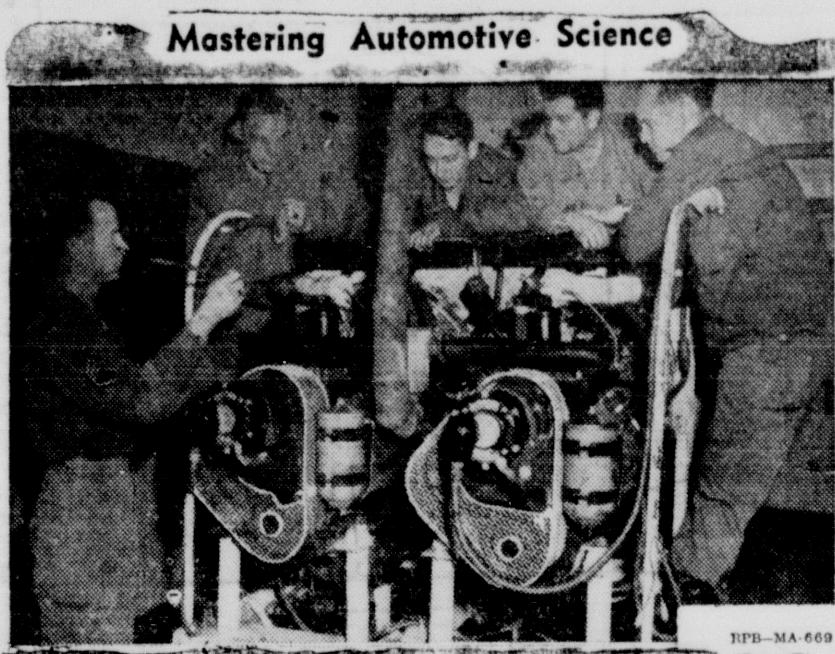
The law says that an alien, convicted of two crimes, shall be deported. But a decision of the United States Supreme Court says you can't convict him of two crimes in a row; no, it can't be that simple; you must convict him of one and then he must go out and commit another and then be convicted of that before he can be deported.

Why doesn't Congress change the law so that, if an alien is convicted of one crime, he shall be deported.

Another thing: We have aliens in this country who are Communists, which means they favor overthrowing our form of government but we can't get rid of them because the country they came from won't take them back. Why doesn't Congress change the law so that we will admit people only from those countries who are willing to take them back—and when a country refuses to take one of these undesirable back, we admit no more visitors from that country.

Henry George, the economist, once cynically remarked that if the multiplication table stood between some men and a profit you'd find "authorities" who would attack the correctness of the statement of two times two is four.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Abney of Sundown spent last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Shira.



It's not enough that a soldier merely know how to operate an Army vehicle. He must also know what makes it go. So, these mechanically minded soldiers are getting expert instruction on the internal operation of an automotive engine at one of the many Army Field Forces training schools. Today, thousands of young men are receiving technical training in the U. S. Army by way of preparation for a profitable military career.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jay, accompanied by their two sons, Jerry Fred and Gary, spent last week in southern Kansas near Hutchinson and through Oklahoma, making a survey of wheat crop conditions. They returned by way of Tulsa and visited a brother and a sister of Mrs. Jay's, Marvin Canille and Mrs. Sam Appleton.

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## Salt in Drinking Water Benefit to Summer Health

There is little doubt that Summer is here. If you don't think so, take a quick look at your thermometer or feel your shirt or blouse—chances are that it will be wet and salty with sweat.

Excessive sweating means the loss of body salt, and Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises the use of salt in drinking water as a means of avoiding heat cramps.

"Salt is a prominent constituent of sweat," says Dr. Cox. "On days when the thermometer goes to 90 degrees or above, as it has recently, the body may lose as much as fifty grams of salt. Laborers, farmers, and even white-collar workers should be especially watchful of heat cramps."

Heat cramps are characterized by pains in the stomach, headache, and sometimes nausea and vomiting. The danger comes because the loss of the salt may occur without the knowledge of the individual until the deficiency causes cramps or heat lag.

Salt tablets may be purchased commercially. If they are not available, a pinch of table salt will serve the same purpose.

"Drinking milk is an excellent method of replacing body salt lost through perspiration," Dr. Cox recalled, "but alcoholic drinks should be avoided."

Really Needed the Business.

When an Eastern firm received word that one of its salesman was found dead in San Francisco, it wired to the West Coast:

"Send samples back by freight, search body for orders."

Mrs. A. L. Mize of Anson visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Christian of Celte.

## Texas Businesses have Four Flops in May

Only four Texas businesses failed in May according to a report to The Herald by Dun & Bradstreet reports to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

There were five failures in April 1948 and two in May 1947. Business failures for the first five months of 1948 totaled 27 as compared to 17 in the like period in 1947. Average liabilities were \$52,000 per failure in May, \$23,000 in April and \$17,000 in May 1947.

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2 Pkgs. 15c

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TANG

Spiced Meat

Can 49c



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Pineapple Ice Cream

Broadcast June 26, 1948

1/2 cup Pet Milk  
1/2 cup sugar  
2 tablespoons flour  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cup pineapple juice

1/2 cup canned, crushed pineapple, drained  
2 tablespoons lemon juice

Chill milk until icy cold. Mix together sugar, flour and salt. Stir in pineapple juice. Boil and stir 2 min. Remove from heat; add pineapple and lemon juice. Chill. Whip chilled milk with cold rotary beater or electric beater at high speed, until stiff. Fold into chilled pineapple mixture. Freeze, without stirring, in tray of automatic refrigerator, at coldest temperature. Makes 1 1/2 pints.

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Pineapple

Flat Can 17c

LEMONS

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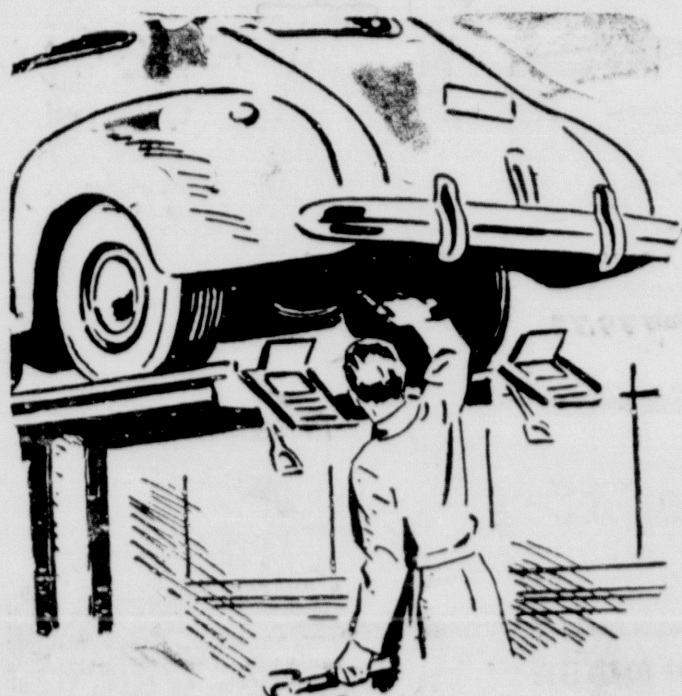
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# REG'LAR FELLERS

## He Might Have Gone On Forever

By Gene Byrnes



## Trade School Quota Lifted by Navy Dept. For Month of June

Chief J. C. Larcom, traveling recruiter from the Navy Recruiting Station, Abilene, announced this week that the limited quota on the Navy trade schools has been lifted for the month of June.

This means that high school graduates who can show their diplomas may be assured of attending the school of their choice before enlisting. They may also obtain the equivalent of three years of college through the USAFI courses. These courses are recognized by 59 leading colleges and universities in the United States.

The quotas for trade schools will

## Couldn't Take Any More.

Mistress (to maid who had just given notice—"Haven't we always treated you like one of the family, Mary?")

Maid—"Yes, ma'am, you have, and I can't stand it any longer."

"Darling, haven't I always given you my pay check on the first of every month?"

"Yes, you low-down cheat. But you never told me you were paid twice a month."

again be limited beginning July 1, Larcom said. "If you are interested in furthering your education, see your Navy recruiter in Hamlin each Wednesday at the local Post Office."

## Veterans News

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Q.—If I attend Summer sessions at the college where I am enrolled under the education benefits of the G-I Bill, do I need a supplemental certificate of eligibility?

A.—No. The only time you need a supplemental VA certificate of eligibility to attend summer school is when you transfer to another school for the summer term.

Q.—I am a U. S. citizen and have received war service gratuity and re-establishment of credit benefits. Am I entitled to loan benefits under the Canadian government, de the G-I Bill?

A.—Veterans Administration has ruled that the loan benefits under the Servicemen's Readjustment act are neither the same nor similar to, the "war service gratuity" and the "re-establishment credit" apparently paid you in cash by the Canadian government. Therefore, you are entitled to a loan guarantee if you are otherwise qualified.

Q.—Five of us veterans of World War II have incorporated and are operating a business. Can each of us file a claim for readjustment allowance as self employed?

A.—No. A Veterans Administration decision held that none of the veterans connected with a corporation can be regarded as self-employed within the meaning of Public Law 346 (G-I Bill).

Q.—My husband is receiving a Spanish War pension of \$90 monthly. We were married two years ago and I would like to know if I will receive a pension at his death?

## COTTON QUIZ

HOW MUCH COTTON IS USED ANNUALLY IN THE MANUFACTURE OF TRUCKS?



Big Cleaning Job Ahead.

"Miss Helen," said the parson impressively as he led her into the brook for baptism, "I've gwine lead you out into dis heah stream an' wash out every spot o sin you's got."

"Lawsy, pahson," giggled the erstwhile frolicsome damsel, "in that I'll ole shallow creek?"

A.—No. Under existing law, you would not be eligible because your marriage took place after Dec. 31 1937.

## Typhoid Fever Germ Is Hitch-Hiker from Victim to Another

A warning Jones County people against the hitch-hiking germ of typhoid fever has just been issued by Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. They must catch a ride from an infected person to the well person; this is generally accomplished by water, milk, flies, fingers or food. Every case is contracted by way of the mouth and digestive system.

A carrier is a person who has had typhoid fever at some time and who even after recovery carries the germs of the disease in the urine and discharge of the bowels. Carriers who are careless in their personal habits are likely to infect any food they handle with unwashed hands. Some of the most serious and far-reaching outbreaks of the disease have been caused by drinking milk or eating foods that have been handled by carriers. Persons may be carriers without knowing it.

Typhoid fever is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the ignorance or carelessness of some individual. Persons planning a vacation or trip where sanitation may not be rigidly enforced should protect themselves against this disease by being vaccinated. Inoculation with typhoid vaccine, a week apart, is all that is necessary to secure protection against this disease for two years. The purity of water, milk or food cannot be judged by looking at it, so the best thing to do is play safe and have your physician protect you.



The small fry enjoy fiesta time every bit as much as the older generation, says this young lady who shakes her maracas and indulges in a bit of fiesta frivolity. For her playtime frolic the little girl wears a gaily printed fine wale cotton pique playsuit by Juniors of California with a ruffle for a make-believe skirt.

D. M. Maberry suffered a heart attack and is now in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

J. O. Parker is ill again.

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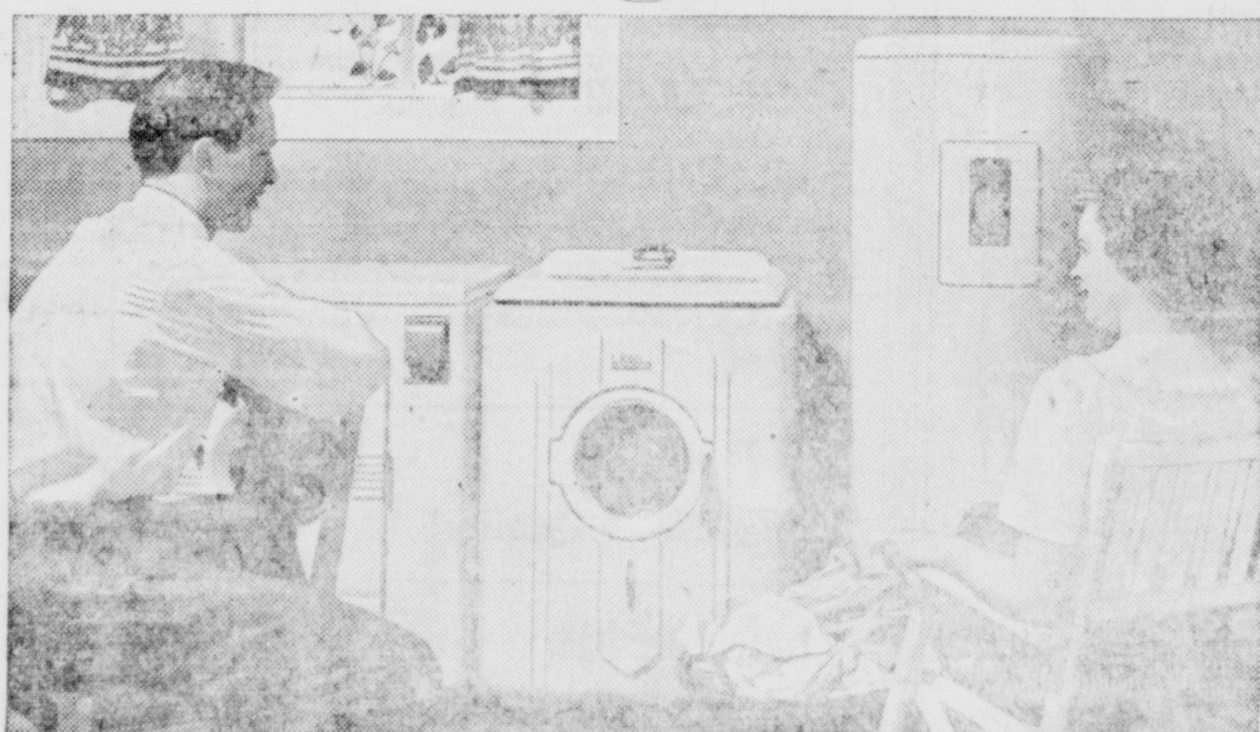
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# OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## WMS Meets Monday in Baptist Church

The Woman's Missionary Society of First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at 4 p.m. in the church in its regular missionary program.

Theme for the year "One World, One Savior, One Task" was centered in Training World Workers for World Missions.

Mrs. Joe Simpson, president, called the meeting to order with Mrs. C. Harvey leading the opening prayer.

Mrs. A. R. Posey played the piano while Mrs. W. C. Russell led the group in three missionary songs. Mrs. Etta Stephenson led the prayer for deeper concentration of Christian women for world missions.

The following subjects were next discussed:

World Missions Needs World Workers, Mrs. Tom Routh. Training World Workers in Our Schools, Mrs. Herman Treadwell. Training World Workers in Our Churches, Mrs. Dave Harris. Training World Workers Through Margaret Fund, Mrs. Tate.

Training World Workers in Our Auxiliaries, Mrs. Delma Shelburne. More Training Auxiliaries Needed, Mrs. Roy Carmichael.

World Witnesses, Mrs. A. R. Posey.

## Personal News:

Marilyn Fletcher returned Monday from a visit with her brother, Harold, and family in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell spent the week-end in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Miss Virginia Brown, employed by the Pipe Line, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brown.

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#### Turbots of Fish

- 6 filets (haddock, perch, cod, flounder, as desired), salt, pepper
- 2 rusks, crushed to crumbs
- 1 small onion, minced
- 6 stuffed olives, sliced
- 1 tablespoon minced parsley
- juice of 1 lemon
- 3 tablespoons fortified margarine, melted
- 1 cup snappy mushroom tomato sauce

Sprinkle filets with salt and pepper. Make a light stuffing of remaining ingredients, excepting the tomato sauce. Spread the stuffing over surface of the filets. Roll each and tie. Place in well greased muffin tins. Slip this pan of tins into a brown paper bag closing the bag with string. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) ¾ hour. If desired, when pan is removed from paper bag, tops of fish rolls may be browned under broiler heat. Remove to serving platter and serve with tomato mushroom sauce.

For other taste-tempting recipes write today for your free copy of the two-color, 32-page recipe booklet, "Mealtime Magic," to National Cotton Council, Box 18, Memphis 1, Tenn.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonner over the week-end were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jordan, of Seminole and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Clark and Bro. Cecil Clark of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Miller spent Monday in Cisco on business.

## Wortham Crows Return from 3 Weeks Tour Up North

Mr. and Mrs. Wortham Crow and family has just returned from a three weeks tour of the Great Lakes country. Some of the greater interests which they saw and visited were: Niagara Falls, New York, Canada, Chicago, Thomas A. Edison's birthplace, President Harding Memorial and the Will Rogers Memorial.

Judge L. Crow accompanied them through most of the trip but he remained with a daughter, Mrs. J. D. Stuckey, in Sandusky, Ohio. He plans to be there three or four more weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wortham Crow will be at the Crow Orchard during the summer to oversee the fruit crop, but will return to New Hope School this fall where they have taught the past two years.

Miss Elaine Jones, student of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, is spending the summer with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Baker.

After a short visit at home, Norris Shira left Tuesday morning for West Point, New York, where he will enter the U. S. Military Academy July 1.

## Hamlin Garden Club Meets in W. C. Russell Home Last Friday for Last Meeting of Year

Hamlin Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. W. C. Russell Friday, June 11, for the last meeting of the year. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. H. O. Cassle.

Mrs. Edd Bailey was leader of the program for the afternoon. She discussed, "Fragrance in the Garden." Mrs. Russell discussed, "Attractive Features of a Patio."

The president, Mrs. H. O. Cassle, installed the following officers for the next club year. They were: Mmes. Dick Maberry, president; C.

All dressed up for a good night's rest is this young lady in her printed cotton nightgown with matching sleeping shoes of the same material. A creation of the St. Louis fashion market, this ensemble is high on the season's popularity list, the National Cotton Council reports.

Miss Iris Ann Criswell spent a few days last week in Fort Worth visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Dean Criswell.

James Eddie Jay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jay accompanied Boy Scout Troop 43 to Camp Tonkawa southwest of Abilene this week.

## 13 Home Ec Girls Go To Buffalo Gap Camp Monday Morning

A bus left Hamlin Monday morning at 8:00 o'clock a. m. filled with girls from the Home Economics Department of Hamlin High School for Buffalo Gap to attend the area Camp Meeting of the Homemaking Club.

Girls going to the summer camp were: Billy Newland, Frankie Sue Madden, Sarah Ann Johnson, Kay Bessire, Joy Maynard, Patricia Rimmer, Gynderlyn Norris, Oletha Maynard, Louise May, Grace Bostick, Binnie Elkins, Ann Agnew, Peggy Terrell and Mrs. James E. Simmons, supervisor.

## I. R. Witt Family Enjoy Reunion

Father's Day was observed Sunday at the Witt cabin on the lake by the family of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt.

The following were present. Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Dean, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dean, Don and Barkley, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dean and Margaret Ann of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Oran Dean, Anson; A. J. Dean, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Gean Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Witt and Sherlynnne, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt, all of Hamlin.

Mrs. Milton Smith and Sandy spent last week in Houston with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Agrant.

## HILON FIELDS

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## IRWIN GROC.

ON ROTAN HIGHWAY!

## Mrs. Jackson Teaches in WSCS Meeting

Mrs. J. A. Jackson taught fifth and sixth chapters from the book "The Great Prayer of the Bible," at a Monday meeting of the Farrie Circle of Womans Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church.

The meeting was held in the church, with Mrs. D. N. Farris,

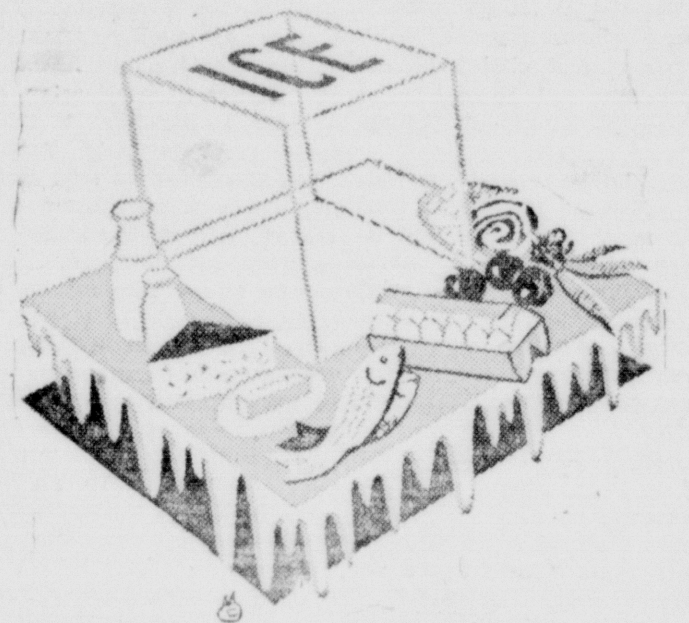
circle chairman, presiding for the business session.

The Circle voted to disband thru July and August, with the exception of one business session each month, and to begin meeting regularly each Monday in September. The meeting closed with prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnston had as their guests Sunday their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. T. P. West, and Dr. and Mrs. E. E. West and their daughter, Jeannine.

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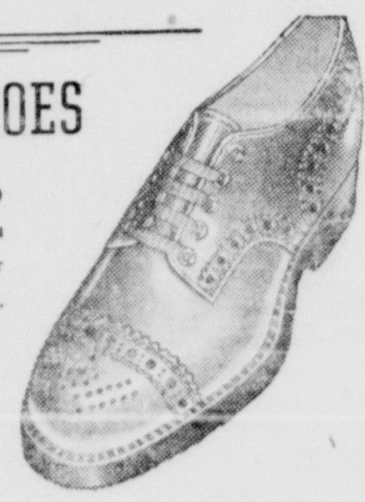
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Mixed Strength and Weakness Appear Southwest Farm Markets Last Week

Mixed strength and weakness appeared at the Southwest farm markets during the past week according to a report to The Herald from the United States Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

Fryers showed strength at some markets during the week, with the prices ranging largely from 38 to 42 cents a pound. Other poultry and eggs remained firm. Heavy hens sold mainly from 25 to 30 cent and turkey hens from 38 to 41. Eggs generally brought the top support level of 37 cents a dozen, with some premium eggs higher.

Hog prices scored substantial gain of \$1 to \$2.50 during the week, and sows rose as much as \$3.50 at some markets. Monday's trading at San Antonio and Fort Worth reached a top of \$26 on good and choice medium weight butchers, while the bulk at Oklahoma City and Kansas City moved at \$27.25 to \$27.75. Denver bid \$28 to \$28.50.

Slaughter steers and stocker and feeder cattle held their own fairly well for the week but killing cows and calves sold \$1 to \$2 lower at most Southwest markets. Common and medium cows sold generally from \$17 to \$21.50, though San Antonio paid only \$15 to \$17.50. Common and medium calves ranged from \$16 to \$25 at Texas markets. Wichita paid \$28 for top vealers and calves. Good and choice vealers brought mainly \$27 to \$31.50 at Denver and \$25 to \$29 at Kansas City.

Slaughter lambs netted generally lower prices at Southwest markets after early-week gains and later losses. Other sheep classes showed little or no change. Spring lambs sold at \$28.50 down at Oklahoma City. Medium and good grades brought \$20 to \$24 at Fort Worth and \$28 to \$29 at Denver and Kansas City.

Quiet wool trading included a few sales of average French combing lots in Texas.

Sorghums dropped 35 to 40 cents a hundred pounds to feature the week's grain trade. Barley fell 10 cents a bushel, but other grains scored advances of one to five cents. A flood of new crop offerings pushed No. 2 yellow milo down to \$3.25 to \$3.35 and barley to \$1.75 to \$1.80. No. 2 white oats sold around \$1.29 to \$1.33, white corn \$2.84 1/2 and No. 1 hard ordinary wheat \$2.42.

Feed markets turned firmer too, as drought-scarched pastures brought active inquiry. Hot, dry weather revived demand for hay also, though increased new crop offerings held prices down. Peanut trading continued slow.

Usually narrow fluctuations during the week left cotton 50 cents to \$3.50 a bale lower Monday. Spot middling 15-16 inch closed at 37.15

Caution Advised to Area Cattle Buyers On New Purchases

Bring in a herd or work animals on a farm without taking necessary quarantine precautions may prove a costly mistake, livestock owners are advised this week of the Hamlin area by a current veterinary bulletin.

Stock brought in from outside sources, especially animals purchased at sales barns, may be coming down with contagious diseases or may become infected during transit to the farm, the bulletin cautions. One such animal can serve to infect an entire herd or flock. Another factor to be considered is that new animals need time to become adjusted to their surroundings and will fare better if allowed an "orientation" period.

For these reasons, the bulletin recommends the following measures for safeguarding the interests of livestock purchasers:

"Take time and be health-conscious as well as quality-conscious when buying an animal. Find out, if possible, whether it has been exposed recently to an infectious disease. Have a veterinarian examine it prior to purchase if there is a doubt about its health status.

"Remember that the animal is coming to a new home—the feed, water, soil and surroundings are probably all different. It should not be forced into service immediately, but should be broken in gradually to the farm schedule.

"Segregate every newly purchased animal from other stock on the premises for at least 30 days. In this way, if one of the new animals does break out with an infectious ailment, it will not have an opportunity to infect the entire premises.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Smith and children returned Friday from a week's vacation at Carlsbad, California, New Mexico.

Hamlin Residents' Kin in Sweetwater Buried at Neinda

Funeral was held in Sweetwater Thursday, June 17, for Mrs. Bessie Boyd, 72, who died unexpectedly in Albuquerque, New Mexico the preceding morning.

Among survivors of Mrs. Boyd's was a brother, Tom Jones of Hamlin; Beach Jones of McCauley and a sister, Mrs. Pat Collins of Hamlin.

Mrs. Boyd left Sweetwater June 14 with a son Jones Boyd and a daughter, Kathleen Boyd of Fort Worth to visit another daughter, Mrs. F. D. Windrow, in Albuquerque, N. M. She suffered a heart attack and died shortly after being taken to a hospital.

The Rev. Charles Nunn of Hamlin officiated for the funeral. Burial was in the Neinda Cemetery in Jones county beside the grave of Mrs. Boyd's husband.

Onis Crawford, after a two weeks vacation spent at his Hamlin home is back on the job again this week at Bryant Link Company store.

Ralph Bailey, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey spent last week-end in Hamlin Memorial Hospital under observation for appendicitis. He returned home Sunday afternoon and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bailey were in Plainview the first of the week on business.

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4.—There is ONLY ONE New Testament church. (Matt. 16:18)

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Butcher Odessa, former Hamlin residents, visited here last week-end with Mrs. John Ed Day and other friends. Mr. Butcher is connected with an oil company in Odessa.

Eph. 4.5; Eph. 1:22-23; Col. 1:18. (adv)

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## Senate and Governor Races Feature Politics as Filing Date for Office Past

Final filing date for candidates for state and United States Senate offices found a good list of would-be office holders, especially in the senate and governor positions. Many of the other state offices did not muster even competition for office holders.

Filing deadline for county offices is Saturday of this week, according to Saturday of last week according to Mr. Johnson, county Democratic chairman and Starr Inzer, local chairman, who declares that the field of candidates for county office is among the lowest in the history of Jones County.

For the benefit of Hamlin area people, The Herald gives the complete list of candidates who filed for the state offices.

U. S. Senator—Coke R. Stevenson of Junction; Roscoe H. Collier of Dallas; Otis C. Meyers of Dallas; F. B. Clark of College Station; Lyndon Johnson of Johnson City; Cyclone Davis of Dallas; George Peddy of Houston; Frank G. Cortez of San Antonio; Martin Dies of Lufkin; and Jesse C. Saunders of Orange. All are now seeking the seat now held by W. Lee O'Daniel. Martin Dies of Lufkin has announced his withdrawal from the race since the filing date.

State Treasurer—Jesse James of Austin, the incumbent; and Bruce Lloyd of Quitman.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction—L. A. Woods of Waco, the incumbent.

Commissioner of the General Land Office—Bascom Giles of Austin, the incumbent; and M. Carl Smith of Fort Worth.

State Comptroller—George H. Sheppard of Austin, the incumbent; and Clifford E. Butler of Houston.

Associate Justice of the Supreme Court—Few Brewster of Austin, Place No. 1, the incumbent; James P. Hart of Austin, Place No. 2, the incumbent; John A. Rawlins of Dallas, place No. 2; Charles T. Rowland of Fort Worth, chief justice; J. E. Hickman of Austin, chief justice, the incumbent; W. St. John Garwood of Austin, Place No. 3, the incumbent.

Governor—Sumpter W. Stockton of Breckenridge; Roger Q. Evans of Austin; Charles B. Hutchison of Dallas; Caso March of Waco; W. J. Minton of Sherman; Holmes A. May of Houston; and Beauford H. Jester of Austin, incumbent.

Lieutenant Governor—Allan Shivers of Mission, incumbent.

Railroad Commissioner—Tom Blakey of Houston, seeking full term; and Ernest O. Thompson of Austin, the incumbent; Carlton Moore Sr. of Houston, seeking remainder of unexpired term; and William J. Murry Jr. of Austin, the incumbent.

Attorney General—Price Daniel of Austin, the incumbent.

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals—Harry N. Graves of Austin, the incumbent; and W. E. Myers of Fort Worth.

State Commissioner of Agriculture—J. E. McDonald of Austin, the incumbent.

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### Buyers and Ranchers Wait on Weather

There is some talk of Fall contracting prices for livestock, but as yet few deals. Right now, the boys are watching Kansas to see what the grass cattle are going to sell for. A number of order buyers have contracts to buy calves and lambs for Fall delivery.

However, the buyers are waiting for rain before exercising those contracts and by the same token, ranchers are waiting. Under the present dry weather conditions, ranchmen might not be able to hold on to lambs and calves until Fall delivery date. And the buyers don't want to contract for something that turns out to be unprofitable, it is said.

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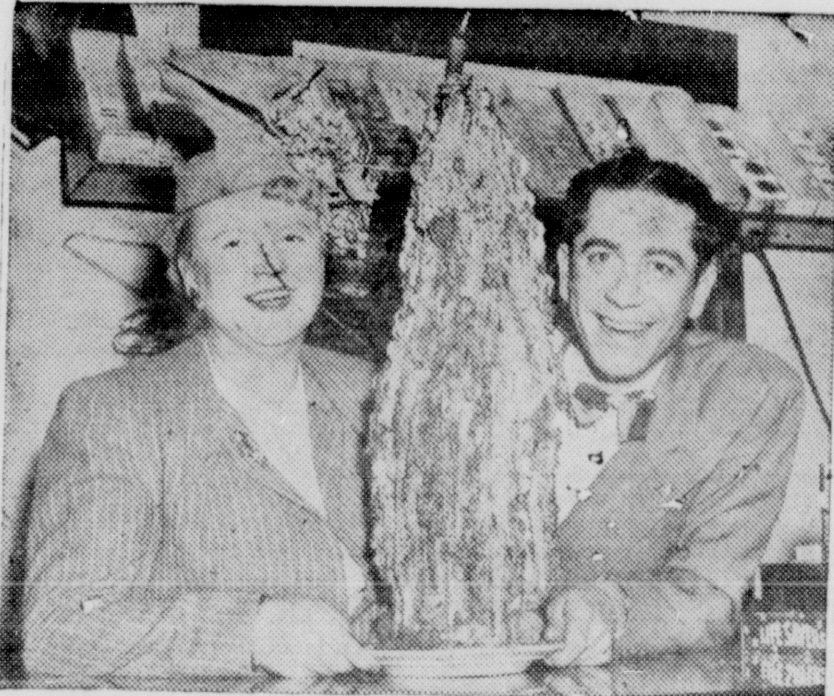
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### U. S. Birth Rate Showing Decline

WASHINGTON, June 24—America's birth rate is dropping—but only slightly—below the 1947 boom level.

The office of vital statistics gave the figures Wednesday: 1,149,000 births in the first four months of this year, compared with 1,270,000 in the same period last year.

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The Gibo Desert is in Mongolia, China.

## Worst Polio Record in State History Is Plaguing Texas

The worst polio record in the state's history for this time of year plagued Texas today, but a check of the county health department revealed no cases in Hamlin or in Jones county.

The State Health Department reported that the year's total incidence of the dreaded disease increased last week. There were 85 new cases reported in the state.

The figure was well over twice cases recorded in the comparable period of 1946, the previous high for a comparable period.

"Neglect of filth" was where state Health Officer George W. Cox placed the blame.

He lauded efforts at current clean-up campaigns.

"They'll bring good results next year," he predicted.

New cases last week came in 21 counties. So far this year polio has hit a total of 55 Texas counties.

The worst polio year in Texas history was 1943 when the year's total hit 1,274, health department records show. The disease hit an all time monthly peak of 473 cases in July of that year.

Last week's 85 new cases followed 39 new cases reported the week previous and 60 for the week before that.

Ask a man when he was born and he will tell you the year. Ask a woman and she will tell you the day.

## Miss Inez Baggett Named Assistant of Students at TSCW

Miss Inez Baggett, niece of Mrs. D. D. Harden, is among the 75 Tex. as State College for Women students at Denton, who have been accepted for the first semester of the summer session to do student assistantship work in the administrative offices, the various academic departments, and in the college library.

Student assistants are chosen on the basis of ability, interest in their department, and initiative. A minimum scholastic average of C on the preceding semester's work must be maintained by students of sophomore level or higher, and freshman applicants must have been graduated in the upper half of their high school class.

A senior occupational therapy student, Miss Baggett will assist in the Department of Home Economics.

## GIs Asked to Notify VA as Training Ends

To prevent over-payments of subsistence allowances, the Veterans Administration urges ex-GI students of the Hamlin area and their schools to notify VA as soon as a veteran breaks off or completes his program.

A veteran student in training under the GI Bill is not entitled to subsistence allowances after the date he interrupts or completes his training. In some cases, veterans stop their training and receive additional payments before VA is notified of their change in status. All such over-payments must be refunded to the government.

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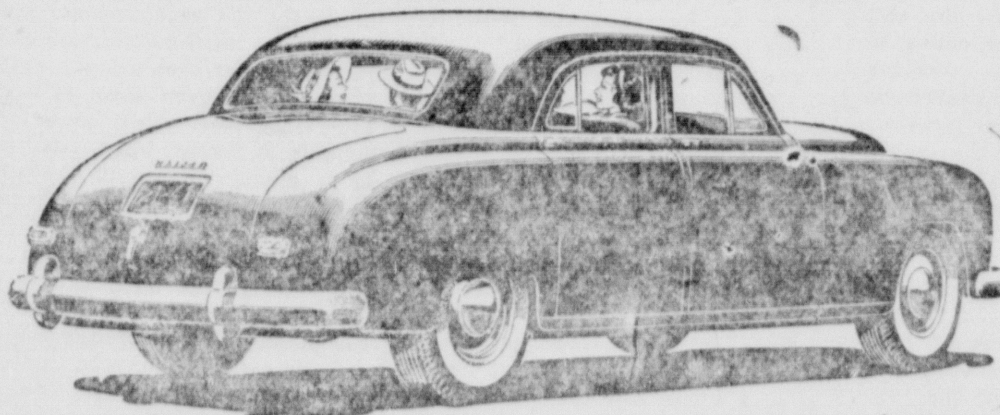
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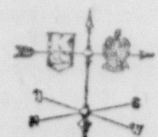
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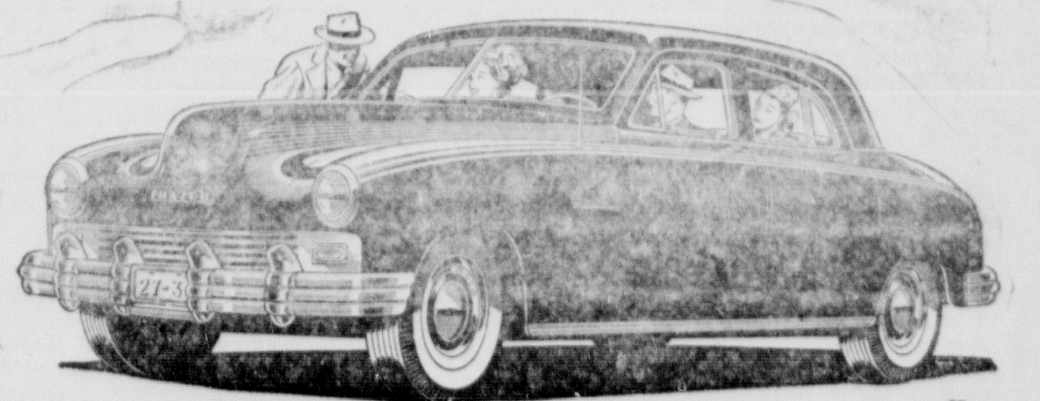
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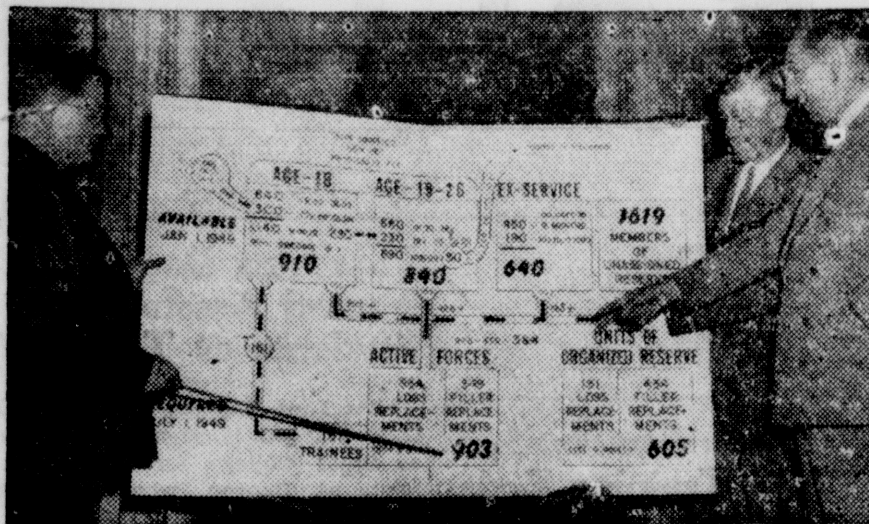


## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

# Truman's 'Non-Political' Tour Breaks Precedents, Hits Snags; Senate Fights to Recover Aid Slash

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



**ODDS ON SECURITY** . . . Seeking to end what he termed a "desperate gamble" with the nation's security, Sen. Chan Gurney (Rep., S. D.) (left) opened senate debate on the measure to draft youths aged 19 through 25. Chairman of the senate armed services committee, Gurney here is discussing the draft bill with Senators Leverett Saltonstall (Rep., Mass.) and Richard B. Russell (Dem., Ga.).

## NON-POLITICAL:

### Truman's Tour

President Truman's "non-political" swing through the West could be described as non-political only in the sense that Mr. Truman, as a candidate for Democratic renomination, had jettisoned many of the rules of standard party politics.

It was a lone wolf fight he was waging—going over the heads of party leaders to talk directly to the people. And most of what he had to say to the people concerned the Republican congress and what he termed its inaction.

In Chicago, speaking before the Swedish Pioneer Centennial association, he hammered out a platform upon which he can be expected to base his chances for renomination. It was a platform for "more and better democracy."

From Chicago the President, with his entourage, headed for the heart of the farm belt, Omaha, Neb., and it was there that he was set sharply back on his heels.

He continued his lambasting of the Republican congress—this time concentrating on GOP farm policies—in a speech at the Ak-Sar-Ben coliseum in Omaha. Fantastically, in the coliseum which has a capacity of 10,000, fewer than 2,000 persons were present to hear Mr. Truman talk.

This phenomenon was variously interpreted. Some said the President's box office appeal had wilted. Others claimed the Nebraska Democratic machine had done a miserably inadequate job in promoting his appearance.

Probably closer to the truth was the plain fact that the "non-political" label of the presidential trip had backfired seriously. He made a political speech and had expected to get a crowd of friendly Democrats to fill the hall for the occasion.

But the White House previously had told the Democratic organization in Omaha to lay off the political hoopla, and the organization acted in compliance with those instructions. Payoff came when nobody else showed up to fill the aching void which the Democrats created by staying away.

It was an unpleasant blow for the campaigning Mr. Truman and one that might produce grave political repercussions.

But the President was resilient. And in a more or less happy frame of mind he left Omaha on his train and rode away into the setting sun in search of happier hunting grounds.

## AID SLASH: 'Less Recovery'?

Sen. Arthur Vandenberg was fighting mad at what the house of representatives had done to his political baby, the world recovery program, by slashing nearly a million dollars from the appropriations for the Europe-Asia aid bill.

On the Republican foreign policy leader from Michigan rested the administration's hope of reclaiming the appropriations cut in senate action on the measure.

Certainly, Vandenberg has a more than usual affinity for global aid program since it was he who labored to steer the Marshall plan to congressional approval last April.

What the house had done was to approve a total foreign aid expenditure of \$5,980,710,228 to be spread

out over a period of 15 months. The administration had asked \$5,533,710,228 as the minimum fund needed for a 12-month period.

Secretary of State George Marshall, fighting hard against the cut, had asserted that the smaller appropriation would mean putting Europe on a relief dole, rather than helping it to its feet.

But Rep. John Taber (Rep., N. Y.), chairman of the house appropriations committee, went right ahead and swung the ax. He said the funds his committee proposed were all that could be spent with any degree of prudence.

Paul G. Hoffman, head of the European recovery program, said he "certainly hoped" congress would restore the cuts.

ERP was hardest hit in the fund cut. Whereas congress previously had authorized up to 4,245 billion dollars in 12 months for that 16-nation recovery project, the appropriations bill as passed by the house knocked that figure down to 4 billion dollars for 15 months.

Other reductions: Assistance to Greece and Turkey was cut from 275 million to 200 million dollars and aid to China cut from 463 million to 400 million.

## DRAFT: Debatable

In the waning days before adjournment of congress the senate had buckled down to the task of producing action on a limited revival of the military draft.

The house was waiting only for the senate to dispose of the question before its members waded into the tricky currents of a similar measure.

Legislators in both houses were treading gingerly about on the issue, throbbed with the knowledge that this is an election year and furthermore there are any number of American parents ready to offer material objections at the ballot box if their boys are called up for military service.

In the face of all this the senate, nevertheless, was trying to do some kind of a job. Its measure provided for the drafting of men 19 through 25 in sufficient numbers to bring the armed services up to their authorized strength. The bill would permit 18-year-olds to volunteer for a year's training, thus disposing of a universal military training act for the present.

Among the side issues that arose during the senate debate was the old bugaboo of civil rights. After an abortive two-hour filibuster by southern Democrats, the senate voted 37 to 35 to outlaw the poll tax as a requirement for voting in federal elections so far as members of the armed forces are concerned.

Actually, it was a minor issue, inasmuch as most of the seven southern poll tax states still have in effect wartime suspensions of the tax for members of the armed services.

Under the senate measure the draft would be authorized for five years, but the program is left flexible enough so congress each year could raise or lower both the regular and reserve forces to meet shifting world conditions.

Drafted men, after completing two years of service, would have to serve in the reserve for five years or, as a matter of choice, volunteer for an additional year in the regular services or two years in the national guard.

## LATEST: In Bombers

Army air force is developing another new long range jet bomber which will use propellers driven by jet turbines. It is called the XB-52.

The experimental plane represents another effort by designers to overcome the high fuel consumption and resulting limited range of jet bombers but still retain the jet's high speed. Jet-driven propellers may provide a partial answer.

## MINE TALKS: More Snags

As usual John L. Lewis was mining the channels of possible agreement in the latest series of contract discussions between him and representatives of the soft coal mine operators.

The explosive the UMW chief planted this time was a demand that the operators first guarantee welfare aid for distressed miners before they can expect his union to sign a new contract.

Thus, the "Lewis situation" in the United States was being brought to the fore again.

Already the possessor of enough government injunctions to paper the den of his Springfield, Ill., home, Lewis received another one before he would consent to bargain with the operators on a new 1948-49 contract. (The old contract expires June 30.)

U. S. District Judge T. Alan Goldsborough issued the latest injunction ordering Lewis to bargain with the Southern Coal Producers association. The mine chief previously had refused to bargain with the association because the 14 member groups were being represented at the contract talks by just one man.

However, Lewis bowed to the injunction and agreed to talk.

In the course of this talk one of the first things he did was to call the mine operators "fat cats" and then wave an arrogant club at them with these words:

"We assume that you would deplore any impairment of your abnormal income after July 1. Such an assumption would seem to be a logical predicate for the making of a new wage agreement before that date."

Briefly, it looked as though Lewis was determined to strike again. Deprived of one snag, he immediately grasped another. As a result the first round of contract talks was fruitless.

## Transition



Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, in the manner of all old warriors, probably will remain a soldier at heart till the end of his days, despite the fact that he has discarded his military trappings for the cap and gown of an educator. Ike has settled down as president of Columbia university, and that's the only kind of president he wants to be, he says.

## GERMANY: New Plan

Pivotal point of a healthy and prosperous Europe, Germany long has been under scrutiny by the Allied powers who have been searching for a way to return it to the world family of nations without starting another squabble.

Zonal partition of Germany perhaps has been the biggest hindrance to the formulation of such a plan, and Russia consistently has objected to re-establishing an autonomous German government.

Now, however, a new plan was afoot. The U. S. and five other friendly powers—Britain, France, Belgium, Luxembourg and The Netherlands—revealed a scheme for self-government in western Germany.

At the same time notice was served on Russia that occupation troops will remain there "until the peace of Europe is secured."

The plan calls for international control of the Ruhr and for steps toward convening a German constituent assembly in the three western zones "to prepare a constitution for approval of the participating states."

That was the skeleton of a program which might put Germany back on its feet.

Reaction in the U. S. was favorable. The state department hailed it as a major step toward recovery in Europe, and it also was regarded as a body blow to Russia in the cold war.

But, although the plan asserted with some vehemence that "Germany must not again be permitted to become an aggressive power," there was some worry as to whether France would approve it.

Does the decision to go ahead with the political rehabilitation of western Germany to the exclusion of Russia's eastern zone mean that the defeated nation is finally and irrevocably split?

U. S. officials don't think so. The theory is that although it was Russia itself which forced the western powers to act without Russia, the new program does not preclude the participation of the rest of Germany in the new self-governing federation if and when the people of the Soviet zone want in.

# Washington Digest

## Reciprocal Trade Is Vital To Well-Being of the World

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator

WASHINGTON.—Despite the spirited battle over extension of the reciprocal trade agreement authority, nothing which even its best friends could hope to do about it would be definitive, for everyone knew from the start that final action must be postponed until next year.

Reciprocal trade agreements have been a definite part of our foreign trade policy for 14 years. If they were of any value in the past, they are of even more value now. But with an election a little more than four months off and congress trying to break a log jam of legislation, lengthy debate on the subject was impossible.

Putting it backwards, the reciprocal trade agreement policy is this: If a country is prevented by a high tariff wall from selling to us,

it can't get the dollars to buy from us. Or, if the country has borrowed money from us, it can't get the dollars to pay us back. That's what happened after World War I, and the breakdown in foreign trade was one of the great factors in bringing on depression.

But that isn't the only thing that tariff walls do. They tend to force isolationism, extreme nationalism on a country and behind the tariff walls, as ex-Secretary of State Cordell Hull used to say so often, grow the roots of war.

Secretary of State Marshall stated that the Gearhart bill would destroy the substance of the reciprocal trade theory, a theory which is not only the cornerstone of our general foreign trade policy, but the principle which we have insisted must be followed by nations participating in the European recovery program.

The secretary said that "only the shadow of the original act would be preserved in the substitute bill proposed by Representative Gearhart, while its substance would be destroyed." And he added: "I think our national interests would be better preserved to permit the trade agreements act to expire than to permit H.R. 6556 to be enacted."

He pointed out that any serious weakening of the trade agreements act at this critical period in world affairs would "almost certainly be regarded by other countries not only as a surrender of our leadership in the international economic field, but as a repudiation of much that has been accomplished under our leadership in that field."

Presumably he meant this: When we agreed to the European recovery plan (E.C.A.), one of the things we emphasized, demanded in fact, was that the countries receiving our aid would have to break down tariff barriers against each other and the rest of the world. We knew there couldn't be economic recovery if there was not a free flow of world trade.

Even before the E.C.A. was ever thought of—since 1934, as a matter of fact—by vigorously pursuing the reciprocal idea, by concluding reciprocal trade treaties with so many countries (we have them with all but six or seven of the Marshall plan participants) we have encouraged the world to reduce tariff walls. Thus it would hardly seem consistent suddenly to reverse ourselves and go back to the old days of high tariff economic isolationism.

The measure as the house presented it had another drawback in the eyes of Secretary Marshall and supporters of his point of view. The bill would force the President either to accept the recommendations of the federal tariff commission on adjustments above or below a certain bracket or submit them to a congressional veto. That sounds reasonable in theory, but what it does is to smash absolutely the whole basis for reciprocal trade negotiation.

A nasty little joker in the measure stating that tariff commission recommendations must be made on the principle of protecting the special interests concerned revealed the intent of its framers. That provision would destroy the purpose of negotiation by removing trade agreements from the field of the "general good" and narrowing them down to a question of whether the particular industry is to be protected from competition. Thus, not only would international relations and conditions have to be ignored entirely, but broad national interests as well.

Secretary Marshall used strong words in criticizing this clause when he said: "The bill, in effect, makes pure protection the sole criterion for tariff action."

Very few groups outside of the big industries which want to keep down foreign competition oppose the reciprocal trade program. The great majority of the chambers of commerce are for it. Earl Shreve, national president of the chamber of commerce, has said that any

"restrictions on or crippling of the trade agreements program would have very undesirable repercussions. Discontinuance or impairment would destroy consistency in United States policy and would undermine world confidence."

Former Republican presidential candidate Alfred E. Landon came out in favor of the three-year extension of the trade agreements act as urged by the administration. He said that failure to extend the act would be contrary to the Republican policy plank of 1944.

Frequent public opinion polls have shown that the majority of the people favor trade treaties. In fact, persons who know what trade treaties are vote better than eight to one to retain them.

I'm no economic expert, but all I have ever read or heard about the old high protective tariff debates, the experience under the Smoot-Hawley bill, the post-World War I debt repudiation and depression would seem to indicate that the high tariff idea should and would be dead as a dodo.

If not, it means we spin the wheel backward to the grand old days of high tariffs which killed foreign trade, made it impossible for foreign countries to sell us goods and spend their money here, or to pay back the money they owed us—simply to protect certain private interests.

## This Convention Is Different

As the Republicans swing into action with the greatest hope they have had for electing a president since the fifth birthday of this year's first voters, there are a number of striking contrasts to be noted between this convention in Philadelphia and former GOP conclaves.

One big contrast is in the size of the audience which actually will behold the speakers as they step forward onto the rostrum. In 1940, some 10,000 people not actually in the hall witnessed the convention.

Two television cameras mirrored the scenes to a fairly select audience, some of it composed of persons fortunate enough to share the hospitality of the Railroad club in the same building as the hall. There one could escape the sound and fury, the glare of the lights, the heat and aridity, and could snack and sip in a comfortable chair.

This year in Philadelphia, the estimated television audience will be counted in the millions, for networks will carry the scene to viewers from Massachusetts to California. Instead of two lonely cameras, there will be the pooled equipment and programming of the various nets.

But there is a greater contrast in the Republican political situation than in the delegates' physical surroundings between today and 1940.

No one who witnessed the Willkie stampede can forget. It was just about as unorthodox a procedure as history records, for the candidate was chosen, not in the hall, nor in a smoke-filled room either, but out in the sticks. If this is to be a "wireless" convention, the 1940 affair was a convention "by wire."

A group of high-pressure amateurs, who were no amateurs when it came to organized action, was putting pressure on the "big men" in every community, and the "big men" were getting to bosses or to the delegates direct by telegram and telephone. The Willkie amateurs "stole" the show from the professionals, and the professionals swore it never would happen again. It isn't happening this year.

Another highly interesting contrast between conventions—the time between 1948 and 1944—is the hectic atmosphere of today as opposed to the comparative calm then. There was a "Dewey-has-it-in-the-bag" feeling back in Chicago four years ago which took the zip out of the Chicago air. Also the war overshadowed the conclave then. The National Republican (the party newspaper) started off its lead article on June 26, 1944: "With the invasion news commanding the attention of the entire convention . . ."

Another contrast between '44 and '48 is in the attitude toward foreign policy. Then it was the most delicate question which faced the platform committee. Today Senator Vandenberg has foreign policy wrapped up in a neat package signed with his name and sealed with his signet ring. That issue is no worry at all.



THERE are many millions who take either a keen or a casual interest in what happens day by day in baseball. But these have nothing like the passionate interest some three or four million golfers have in reducing their score.

Baseball's major interest belongs to spectators. Golf's major interest belongs to the players and competitors. Golf is one of the greatest health-making and training games of all time for the multitude.

Baseball is one of the greatest fan games or mental relaxations for the crowd, minus any physical aid. The golfer's interest is largely personal. "How can I chop off a stroke or two," asks Bill Brown, "so I can trim that fathead, Jack Smith, who makes me play him even?"

There are things you can do or at least try. For example here are tips that came direct from Harry Vardon:

"Vardon gave me a great tip," Walter Hagen told me one day. "It was about playing shots from heavy rough or from the sand in bunkers. I used to go into the rough or walk into a bunker gripping a niblick as if it were a matter of life or death. It meant power."

"Don't do that," Vardon told me. "Grip the club lightly or gently in your hands. Get the full play of your hands and wrists. Eliminate tension, as far as you can. Most people in trouble, in the rough or the bunker, nearly always develop too much tension. This is the spot where you can't afford tension. Just ease up."

Another Vardon tip came years ago from a British publisher whose short game was phenomenal. "I'll tell you who helped me," he said. "It was Vardon on chip shots. Vardon showed me how to pick out a spot or a target just an inch ahead of the ball. This helped me to chip or swing through the ball. It prevented stabbing or jabbing."

"Vardon is an amazing man," the publisher said, "on the simple side of the game. He doesn't use a straight left arm. He breaks his left elbow, bends it. But his left arm is straight at impact. That is when it counts. That is where almost everything that counts takes place. At impact."

On chip shots you might try the Vardon system—picking out a spot an inch beyond the ball as the target.

## Golf Is Personal

Golf is your game. To a large degree baseball, football and boxing are someone else's game. Golf is the playing game. Tennis is a playing game. The others are spectator's games.

How can you pare away that extra stroke or two—maybe three or four strokes? Here are just a few more tips:

BEN HOGAN: "At the finish of my swing, the right hand is in control. The left hand is important until the final smash."

"But I can give you another good tip. It concerns putting. Most puts are missed because there is knee-and-body motion when you stroke the ball. I concentrate on locking my knees so there can be no knee-or-body motion. Putting belongs entirely to the hands and wrists. Keep the body still and then stroke the ball. But concentrate on stroking the ball."

GENE SARAZEN: "The big weakness in golf is the tension most golfers develop in being too slow. They say golf is not a game of motion. It is with me. I hit a drive. Then as I walk up to the ball I make up my mind on the club I need. That won't take over a second or two."

"It's the same way on the green. Don't hurry. But don't get tied up. Keep moving. When you've decided on the club you need, forget everything else. Concentrate on that club only. But never hurry any swing."

"Here is an excellent tip. Never hurry any swing or any part of a swing. You can loaf on your backswing. But it is more important to loaf on your downswing."

## Delay in Downswing

"In my opinion," Tommy Armour has told me several times, "the delay in the downswing is the most single important feature in golf. This was a big factor in Vardon's swing, the finest swinger I ever saw play. It was a big feature in Bobby Jones' swing in his later campaigns. I mean after 1922. Hagen was never in a hurry. He was a magnificent timer."

"I wonder how many golfers know they start their downswing before they finish their backswing? They simply can't wait to hit the ball. They get about two-thirds back and then the downswing starts."

"I would say this is the biggest common weakness in golf. The main idea is not to hurry anything. You can loaf on your backswing—you can loaf on your downswing. Not too much, but enough to keep everything smooth. Don't ever rush that downswing. That even goes for chip shots."

## FIRST AID to the AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: How can I put a maple finish on an unpainted wooden table?

ANSWER: First rub down the wood with fine sandpaper and steel wool until the surfaces are smooth and "satin"-like; then wipe off the dust with turpentine. If you wish to have an orange maple color, you can get this effect by the application of two coats of pure orange shellac. The first coat should be thinned half-and-half with denatured alcohol. For other shades, apply an oil stain, selecting the color that you prefer from a color-card at your local paint store. Apply the stain as directed on the label and finish with two coats of quick-drying varnish.

QUESTION: The mortar is powdering between the bricks of our chimney. How can I repair it?

ANSWER: Clean out the old mortar to a depth of half an inch or so, wet the grooves with water, then pack with a mixture of 1 part portland cement, 1 part hydrated lime and 5 parts of clean, coarse sand with just enough water to make a workable mixture.

QUESTION: Our windows have a rusty film on the outside due to the screens being left on all winter. How can I get them clean?

ANSWER: Make a fairly thick paste of scratchless scouring powder and kerosene and spread it over the glass. After half an hour or so, rub with the same mixture. Finish cleaning with one of the soapless cleaning powders.

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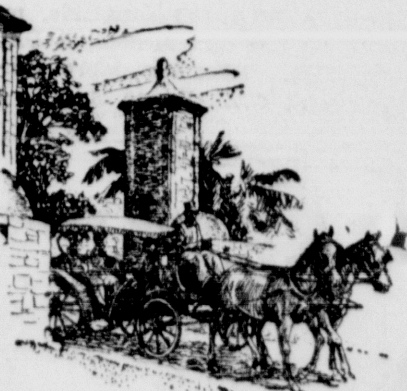
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The telescope's enormous mirror—almost 17 feet across—will permit penetration twice as far into space as has previously been possible and may solve the ancient problem about life on Mars.



HOUSEHOLD  
TIPS

If you've been frying fish in a pan, sprinkle it with salt and add hot water. You'll get rid of fish odors which tend to cling to the pan.

Stiffen the bristles of brushes by adding two teaspoonfuls of powdered alum to each cup of water used for rinsing the brush.

Brush the crumbs out of a "pop-up" toaster with a chicken feather. Used carefully, it won't damage filaments.

First-aid for a cracked dish can be applied by placing it in a pan of milk and boiling for forty-five minutes.

A coat of floor wax on the metal trays of the refrigerator will forestall rust.

To prevent cuts stick a piece of adhesive tape on your thumb when paring vegetables.

Sour milk added to the rinse water will add luster to linoleum.

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## THE NEW LOOK

By WILLIAM CUTHBERT

JOE KAUFMAN stood in front of the mirror. Two years in the penitentiary hadn't taken the plumpness from his body nor the color from his cheeks. The tint of silver about his temples was becoming, and the change from drab, loose fitting prison gray to tailor-made banker's gray gave him confidence.

"I've got that new look, Pinky," he said to the man who had been his cellmate during his first year of confinement.

"Don't get any new ideas, Joe," Pinky said as he sat on the edge of the bed, "you better do like I'm doing; go straight!"

"Hogwash," Joe laughed. "The cops have me figured as a counterfeiter, but I'm giving up that angle. They'll never suspect me of being a stickup man."

Pinky stood up. He was tall like Joe, but thin. "If you won't take the job I've got for you, Joe, then this is good-by."

Joe was thoughtful for a minute, then he said, "So you don't know who is putting out that new batch of counterfeiters, eh?"

"I thought you said you were giving up counterfeiting," Pinky snapped.

"I am," Joe assured him. "I guess it's just professional jealousy to hear that someone else is putting out stuff that is almost perfect."

"All I know is that you've got to use a magnifying glass to find the flaws," Pinky told him.

"Let's see," Joe mused. "Batson is still up the river, Jaeger and Sims are in South America, Pete and Wilson have dropped out of sight and nobody knows where they've vanished to, and Barody stopped a bullet when the cops raided his plant. It just can't be any of the old gang. Somebody new must have moved in."

Pinky shook his head and said, "You'll learn that you can't win on the wrong side of the fence, but I'm afraid it will be too late. Good-by, Joe."

Joe dismissed his former cellmate with a wave of his hand. Plans already were forming in his mind for the first holdup.

News had drifted into the prison that Lee Stanley was going places, and fast. Lee had been only a petty racketeer a few years back, and Joe never had liked him, but apparently Lee had found a way to become big-time. He was the new owner of the Roxy night club, and Joe knew it for a swanky place.

Joe snapped his fingers. He knew the layout of the Roxy. It would be easy to get to Lee's office, and it would give him satisfaction to get hold of some of Lee's profits.

He went to the closet and found the hidden wall hole he had made before his arrest. The revolver and a box of cartridges were still there. They were about the only things the police hadn't found.

With a handkerchief and a piece of wire, Joe cleaned the barrel, then loaded the chamber in case he should have to use it.

Then he turned to the window and looked outside. Sergeant Cain was on the corner leaning against a telegraph pole. Joe was annoyed, but not disheartened. The cops always put a man on you after you did a stretch up the river. And this was the same copper who had caught him with a pocketful of counterfeit bills two years before.

It would be several hours before he would be able to go to the Roxy, so Joe decided to play with the detective before losing him.

When Joe stepped out onto the

pavement, he saw Sergeant Cain straighten up. He walked to a restaurant, and took his time ordering and eating, noticing that the sergeant was keeping a hungry eye on him outside the window.

Joe then spent a couple of hours in a cheap movie, and was aware that Sergeant Cain was sitting only a few rows behind him.

Then he decided it was time to give the detective the slip.

He was followed from the theater, but kept his eyes open as he walked along the street. Suddenly he saw



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what he was waiting for, a cruising taxicab.

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The taxi leaped forward, and Joe looked out of the rear window in time to see Sergeant Cain waving to a taxicab that was traveling in the opposite direction. Joe's taxi turned half a dozen corners before he was definitely satisfied that he had lost Sergeant Cain. Then he had the driver take him to within a half block of the Roxy.

Joe worked his way cautiously to the back of the night club. He smiled when he saw the fire escape. It was the kind that needed weight to carry the bottom section down to the ground.

Joe climbed a rainspout and reached out and grabbed the side rail. As he rode the section to the ground, the rusty iron's screech filled the night, and Joe stood still for a full minute, waiting to learn if anyone inside had heard the sound.

He decided finally that the other noises out in the street had drowned out the sound. He went up the steps until he reached a window which opened into a corridor. He forced the window without too much trouble and climbed inside.

Music was playing out on the dance floor and the sound of laughing voices penetrated the walls, but nothing stirred in the corridor.

Joe tied a handkerchief over his mouth and nose, and pulled his hat down over his eyes. He glanced around to refresh his memory, and smiled. Apparently this was to be one of his lucky nights. He saw the light through the glass in the door of the room he sought, and shoved the door open.

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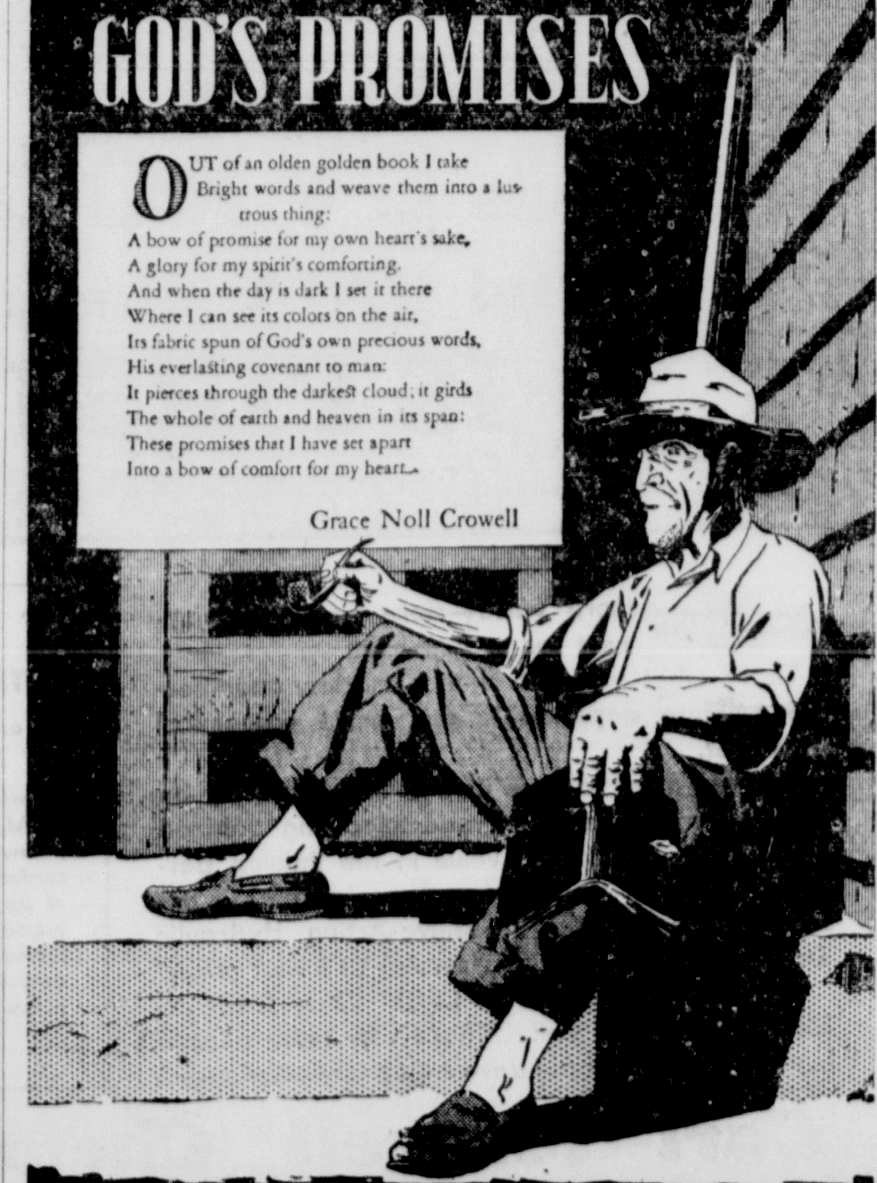
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## GOD'S PROMISES

OUT of an olden golden book I take  
Bright words and weave them into a lus-  
trous thing:  
A bow of promise for my own heart's sake,  
A glory for my spirit's comforting.  
And when the day is dark I set it there  
Where I can see its colors on the air,  
Its fabric spun of God's own precious words,  
His everlasting covenant to man:  
It pierces through the darkest cloud; it girds  
The whole of earth and heaven in its span:  
These promises that I have set apart  
Into a bow of comfort for my heart.

Grace Noll Crowell



was a stack of crisp, new twenty-dollar bills on top of the desk.

Disguising his voice, Joe said, "Be a good guy and don't act up, or you'll get hurt," as he moved cat-like toward the desk. But he knew Lee was going to get hurt.

Working with precision, Joe's left hand scooped up the money, and his right hand brought the gun barrel down across Lee Stanley's head.

He jammed the twenties into his pockets and tiptoed to the door. With a quick glance he saw that no

one had entered the corridor, then he ran to the window.

There was no way of knowing how much money he had in his pockets, but he felt sure that it was enough for him to leave the city and have a free and easy life for a few months.

A half hour later, as Joe stepped into his room, he was chuckling to himself. He envisioned Sergeant Cain hurrying about the city trying to pick up his trail.

He switched on the lights, then froze. Sergeant Cain was leaning against the wall, toying with his Colt police pistol.

"What—what do you want?" Joe stammered.

"The way you gave me the slip," Sergeant Cain said, "I figured you were anxious to contact that new counterfeiting gang. Also figured the best place to pick you up was right here."

Joe relaxed and sat on the bed. He said, "I'm through with counterfeiting." At the same time he eased the gun from his hip pocket and deftly pushed it under the pillow.

"How about if I see what you have in your pockets?" Sergeant Cain asked.

Joe stood up and smiled. He had nothing to fear. The detective had no way of knowing where the money came from, and he felt sure that Lee Stanley wouldn't report the holdup to the police. He didn't know how Lee had become big-time, but he was sure his method wasn't honest, and he wouldn't want the law poking into his business.

Sergeant Cain found the twenty-dollar bills and stepped back a safe distance from Joe. He took a small magnifying glass from his pocket and examined a twenty.

Instead of giving the bills back to Joe, he stuffed them into his own pockets and said, "You sure work fast, Joe. Loaded with counterfeit money already. Come on, you're going to headquarters."

"Counterfeits!" Joe gasped. Thoughts began to race through his mind. So that was how Lee Stanley had become big-time! He was using a printing press—and if Joe told the police where he got the money, his life wouldn't be worth a dime.

Sergeant Cain snapped a pair of handcuffs on his wrists.

Joe looked at his tailored clothes and realized he was about to lose that new look.

As he started to walk toward the door, he wondered if Pinky would keep that job open for him, for a couple of years?

## Tricks for Teens

By NANCY PEPPER

## Trixie Teen Says—

Life for a teen not only has its ups and downs; it has its INS and OUTS. Being IN the smooth crowd and the big doings can make your four years of high school the "Best Years of Your Life." Being OUT of them can make them seem like 40 years of solitary confinement. You don't need a key to get IN; you need a good personality, a smooth appearance, a spirit of co-operation—and, maybe, a little more aggressiveness than you've been able to muster up until now. Once you make the effort, you'll see the results. Instead of eking out a day-to-day existence, you'll be riding a date-to-date merry-go-round.

## Kathleen Norris Says:

## Politics Cures Loneliness

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features



There you'll find spectacled women, women with bulbous noses, smart and stupid women, fat and thin, dowdy and stylish.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

SHE is 31. She is alone in the world, living in a one-room apartment in a big city. She is plain—her nose, she says, is inclined to look shiny and bulbous, she wears glasses and her color is too high in winter when her hands and feet get cold and her face hot. She has few friends because most of her friends have married and gone away from the business world into home-making, wifehood and motherhood.

Gertrude White feels herself a failure. She is very unhappy. She went to a psychoanalyst, but all he told her in seven sessions was to try to forget a lonely and handicapped childhood and a self-sacrificing youth and assert herself and her potential of happiness and success.

"I like men, but am horribly shy and self-conscious when in their company. I try to think of subjects interesting to them, but succeed only in making such artificial remarks that my purpose is perfectly obvious and they either answer briefly or wander away to some other woman."

"You don't know," Gertrude's letter continues, "how I envy women luckier than I in the way they seem to know how to live. Their simplest achievements seem miraculous to me—having men buzz about them at dances; receiving invitations, attentions, offers of marriage; going through all the steps of engagement and marriage and then proudly taking their places in the social group as wives and mothers. I don't know how to get started. I know I could be loving and capable if I had a chance. I've never had a chance."

## Can't Make Friends

"Please don't tell me," she finishes, "to show men simple friendliness and interest and forget myself in trying to win their friendship—that's just what I do! Please don't tell me to enlarge my interests and join a class of some kind. Because I did, with the hope that it would bring new contacts into my life. The only friends I made in a Spanish class were an old man and his wife, who stuck to me so that everyone thought them my father and mother. And even they never asked me to their home!"

"I want terribly to find myself. I don't want to die, 39 years from now, never having lived."

All right, Gertrude, I will not make you the usual suggestions of charity work in some hospital or community house or study in some night class. I will ask you to do two things.

The last woman to whom I gave this recipe was in a bad way, indeed. She had gone down to the lowest depth a woman can plumb. Ridden by physical disease and a consuming hunger for drugs, she staggered into my life 10 years ago. Now she lives in Texas, raises Shetland ponies and has a good husband. She is a happy, successful woman.

My suggestion to Inez was this same one—to go into a church every day, sit thinking for a while and then kneel to say only the brief prayer, "CREATE A NEW HEART IN ME, O GOD." This prayer never

## PRAYER HELPS

Although many books have been written on the subject, very few people enjoy living alone. By nature men and women are gregarious. They thrive on their associations with other people, families, children and a fruitful, rewarding home life.

Gertrude White is 31, unmarried, lonely and feels that she is an utter failure because she has been unable to share in the happiness of a marriage.

Miss Norris advocates that Gertrude appeal to God for help through humble, sincere prayer. She herself must not remain dormant but should attend political meetings where the furor of debate will cause her to forget her shyness.

Go to political meetings. Not the important ones; but the little insignificant ones of which there are 10 notices in your newspaper this very day. Go into unfamiliar neighborhoods. Talk to the intense men and women nearest you. They'll be much too interested in the program to pay much attention to you personally, but they'll love to tell you what it's all about. The rougher, the plainer and grimmer the meeting, the more you're apt to find yourself taking sides. You'll forget your shyness and loneliness and presently find yourself swept along to Harry's or Johnnie's for coffee and sinkers, still talking. There is nothing in the world more stimulating.

Look at the women at these meetings, the women at parent-teacher meetings and the women flocking out of church on Sunday morning. There you'll find spectacled women, women with bulbous noses, smart and stupid women, fat and thin, dowdy and stylish—all successfully married and many the mothers of children. They didn't do it on their looks. They gained what they have gained because they realized from their very girlhood days that men are like women, too—thin, fat, stupid, smart, shy, inhibited, lonely—and that most of them want to find mates. But since the start is so hard for you in your own group, go to some good, rowdy meetings, where everyone talks to everyone else, and breaks the ice. Good luck to you!

TRAVEL ABROAD INCREASES

WASHINGTON. — More Americans than ever are planning to travel abroad despite the troubled political situation over there.

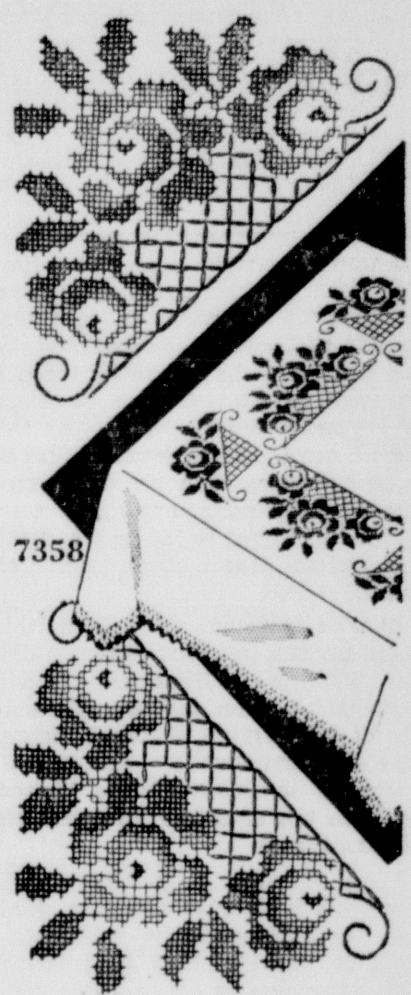
Trans-Atlantic steamship passenger volume is 25.5 per cent above last year's. Air travel has increased 31.2 per cent and it looks now as though seats for the Atlantic trip will be in greater demand this year than last year.

The state department said applications for passports are increasing.



She is very unhappy . . .

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## Fair Settlement

UP in Minnesota Mr. Olsen had a cow killed by a railroad train. In due season the claim agent for the railroad called.

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"Vail," said Mr. Olsen slowly, "Ay bane poor Sweden farmer, but Ay shall give you two dollars."

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## Supreme Court Ruling on Overtime Explained by Regional Director, Dallas

Because many employers of Hamlin who have paid time and a half for work performed on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays, or at hours outside the normal or regular working hours and have treated the extra pay as an overtime premium in many cases protected by the Portal Act from any resulting back-wage liabilities, The Herald is giving the following report to area people according to a report from the United States Department of Labor.

This statement was given this week by the regional director for the Wage and Hour and Public commenting upon the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court in the so-called "overtime on overtime" case.

"The Portal Act protects such employers who have acted in good faith and followed the interpretations of the Divisions in treating such extra pay as an overtime premium," he said, at his Dallas headquarters.

"However, under the Supreme decision, employers can no longer follow the Administrator's interpretations expressed in paragraph 69 and 70 of Interpretative Bulletin No. 4 and elsewhere, insofar as such extra payments are made because of the undesirable hours when the work is performed rather than because the hours are in excess of a specified standard.

"For the future, therefore, some employers will have to make necessary adjustments in their overtime pay practices in order to come within the scope of the Supreme Court's opinion. The opinions of the Administrator expressed in the two paragraphs of the interpretative I have mentioned have been withdrawn, insofar as they relate to extra payments of the kind described.

"In order to give affected employers a reasonable opportunity to make any necessary changes in their practices, the Divisions will be given enforcement on the revised basis on next July 1.

"Under the Supreme Court decision, extra pay by contract or statute for hours worked in any day or week in excess of a bona fide standard is not part of the base wages on which overtime must be computed under the Fair Labor Standards Act (Federal Wage and Hour Law). Such excess payments can be credited toward the overtime compensation required by the Act for work beyond 40 hours in a workweek.

"TMs can be illustrated by collective bargaining agreements calling for bona fide overtime pay at time and one-half for work after seven hours a day or 35 hours a week. The decision explicitly approved this interpretation, which has been the Division's interpretation.

"The essence of the Supreme Court's decision is that an employee who receives a higher wage because of undesirable hours or disagreeable work is entitled to be paid for work beyond 40 hours a week at one and one-half times his actual pay, but that extra pay received for working long hours is not part of the regular rate and can be credited against the overtime pay required by the Wage and Hour Law.

"Except for the longshoring industry, there should not be any significant back-wage liabilities grow out of the decision. Even in the longshoring industry the amount of liability would not be nearly as much as feared because of a number of factors. Among these are the facts that most longshoremen have not worked over 40 hours a week for a single employer in any significant number of weeks and the fact that there is, in most instances, a good-faith defense under year statute of limitations under the Portal Act insofar as payments for Saturdays, Sundays and holidays is concerned, the report concluded.

## Lumber Production Falls 6% in State Mills

Because of new home builders in the Hamlin and other areas The Herald is carrying a survey of the lumber production in Southern pine mills. Lumber production in the Southern pine mills fell six per cent from April to May, according to reports to The Herald from the Southern Pine Association to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

The Bureau's index of lumber production was 74 per cent of the prewar base using the period 1935-1939 or six per cent below May 1947. Average weekly shipments per unit increased six per cent to 222,705 board feet in May or five per cent above May 1947.

Average unfilled orders on May 31 slipped one per cent to 749,150 board feet, or three per cent below a year earlier.

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### Doing a Restrain Job.

A farmer had just hired a new man and sent him out to do the milking. After a while the farmer went to the barn to see how the new man was getting along. When he got there he found the new man had finished milking and was letting the cow drink the milk from the pail. "Why are you doing that?" asked

### the farmer.

"Well, you see," said the man, "the cow put her foot in the pail so I thought I'd better run the milk through again."

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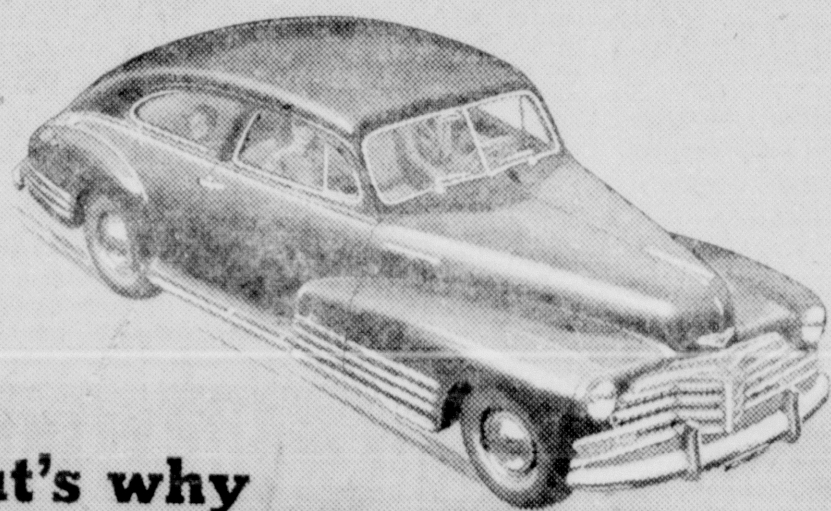


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## CURRENT COMMENT

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By LEON GUINN

The Administration is still having trouble with its proposed 55-group combat air force. . . . Some key men have openly gone on record as favoring a 70-group air force, and even this week congressional leaders expressed dismay at the lack of agreement between the armed forces. . . . Truman has always believed in team-work, and has very little patience with those who stray far afield and start building "air castles" when national security and a balanced defense program are at stake. . . . Each unit of our armed forces has requested the biggest cut of the appropriations "pie" for their own use, thus adding still more to the confusion pervading the congressional chambers.

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Substantial majorities are indicated in both sections of Congress for legislation that will turn the tidelands and probable oil deposits back to the states. . . . Such a trend appears evident now, despite the Supreme Court edict that definitely established federal control. . . . Whether such a measure, however, can be pressed over Truman's threatened veto will remain to be seen. . . . There was word at mid-week that the Congress may well adjourn before the conventions and no summer session will be needed, fall what may. . . . Some doubt remains as to whether all necessary business can be transacted by adjournment time, but a growing tendency is cropping out to "cut out the underbrush" and pass only the most urgently needed bills.

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Since Governor Jester came out with a platform plank on the inflamed "civil rights program," Texas Democrats can look for almost anything to happen before the presidential sweepstakes. . . . The Negroes, as a race, are not such a problem in the South, but the people of the North and East will not let the issue alone. If they keep up certain tactics, we will one day have civil warfare over America's racial problem.

### THEY SPEND MORE—BUT OURS IS BETTER

Great Britain and Russia spend a bigger share of their national income for education than the United States does, according to the solemn announcement of Charles A. Quattlebaum. Mr. Quattlebaum is a researchist for the Library of Congress and his job this time is done at the request of Representative McCowan of Ohio, chairman of the House of Representatives committee which is nursing along the bill to spend federal tax money on local schools.

The Russian system of education is an unfortunate yardstick to use for the measurement of what the United States ought to do. If you have been in Britain you will know that a "public" school over there does not mean what we mean by a public school over here.

But the point is this: You may expect from this time on all sorts of misleading statements designed to influence you to support the federalization of education in the United States. Do not be misled. So far, our education is under 48 different administrations in this country, with privately conducted schools and colleges in addition, we present the most difficult possible citadel for the Communists and crackpots to take over. That citadel is worth preserving. It has meant a lot to American freedom and American initiative.—The Dallas Morning News.

### PROTEST VOTERS

Dr. Gallup's poll recently records a fact in the probable Henry Wallace vote that runs true to American political form. The third party support is the protest vote. In large part it is not pro-Wallace but anti something else. It does not follow the Pied Piper's personal views on such things as European Recovery Program and Russia. It has a mind of its own. The protest vote is convinced that it can do nothing effectively in the existing situation except to cry out.

Wallace himself is, of course, a protest voter and usually more anti than pro. In instances—any instance—where he cannot be the bell cow, Henry is disinclined to fall in line.

The two-party political system does not conform to protest voting. The only effective weapon of the protester is a third party movement, which is always necessarily and intentionally destructive. It can and will do nothing for. But it can be extremely effective against. That is the problem of the Democratic party today. It has an uncomfortable certainty that Wallace can not help himself but that he can hurt the Democratic nominee.—The Dallas Morning News.

## Farmers Are Modernizing

Farmers of West Texas are becoming among the most prosperous and best equipped of any in the South. It is a healthy thing for the state, too.

Several years of good crops, good prices for farm products and practices of good business principles have gone a long way toward lifting the average farmer out of the class of the hard-riden, share-cropping stage to one of near independence, enjoying many of the better things that life has to offer. We are plenty glad that period of prosperity has been reached. If ever there were a class of hard working folks who deserved a better lot they are the farmers.

With extension of rural electrification to the rural sections, many homes have installed electricity that permits the use of labor saving and convenient appliances to make farm homes more cheery and less of a drudgery. Modern farm machinery and other devices are making the business of farming in West Texas a truly uplifting and money making business.

## Congress and the Poll Tax

There are reports at Washington that the Republicans have decided to drop the anti-poll tax bill—but in a soft place where the dropping won't make too much noise. Instead of enacting a statute, the Republicans would propose submission of a constitutional amendment to outlaw the poll tax.

Southern Democrats have always contended that Congress lacks power to forbid a state to make payment of a poll tax a requirement for voting. Many Republicans in public life and many in private life, as well as many newspapers outside the South, uphold this contention.

The submission of an amendment for action by the state would reduce the poll tax question to its merits and remove all doubt and uncertainty as to the proper way to proceed.

## Sure, the Sand Blows

It's a funny thing to observe, we suppose, after a fellow has been in this Western section of Texas for a decade or two, how the newer comers to the region are the ones who talk the most about the sandstorms in a complaining mood.

To be sure, we have not found a resident here who likes the sand to be on the move. But we have noticed that when the complainer is asked if he would prefer a flood or a cyclone or a eath-dealing blizzard to the sandstorm, he invariably says he will take the sand.

Somehow or other, we believe that an occasional sandstorm is a good thing for the community. It will weed out those folks who cannot "take it." Then those who remain are folks who are capable of weathering not only sandstorms but other discouragements of weather and difficulties. A sandstorm gives West Texas people "grit" in more ways than one!

### TEXAS HAS LEARNED A LESSON

A burnt child, it is said, dreads fire. And the Democratic party of Texas is a burnt child in this respect. Besides, there is still a considerable faction of "unterrified" supporters of the national Democratic party in the state who would resist to the limit any attempt to restore the "Texas Regular" program to respectability, even with South-wide backing. It may be that the situation is sufficiently different from that of 1944 to insure success this time.

It is true that the personality of President Roosevelt will not be an influence in the campaign this year, that the nation is not at war and the "Stand by the Commander-in-Chief" and "Don't Swap Horses in Midstream" slogans cannot be used. It may be, too, that Southern Democratic office holders and office seekers will regard support of a "revolt" as good politics this year. We shall see what we shall see in due course.

Meantime, it is certain that if the nominee of the next Democratic national convention is defeated, the nominee of the Republican party will be elected. That's the only alternative possible. Most of the Texas Regulars and many more real Democrats in Texas have long ago decided to face this squarely and to vote the national Republican ticket this year, regardless of the nominee.—Southern Weekly.

We've never been able to figure out: "When a doctor gets sick and another doctor doctors him, does the doctor doing the doctoring have to doctor the doctor the way the doctor being doctoring wants to be doctoring, or does the doctor doing the doctoring of the doctor doctor in his own way?"

## Freight Loadings in Southwest District Shows 2% Up Trend

Revenue freight loaded in the Hamlin area and the Southwestern district rose two per cent from April to May, according to a report early this week to The Herald from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

Livestock loadings dipped 30 per cent below the April level for the only monthly decrease. Grain products climbed five per cent an lumber products increased fractionally.

May carloadings of 291,254 increased three per cent over a year earlier. Variations in the year's span fell between the 15 per cent dip in livestock loadings and the 68 per cent gain in coke shipments.

The Bureau's seasonally-adjusted from April, but rose four per cent loadings dropped eight per cent index of miscellaneous freight car above May 1947. The index was 149 in May.

### He'll Take Half the Job.

At a USO hospital party, a patient noticed that one of the feminine entertainers was only nibbling at his refreshments.

"What's the matter, honey?" he asked her. "Why don't you eat this wonderful cake?"

"I have to watch my figure," the singer explained.

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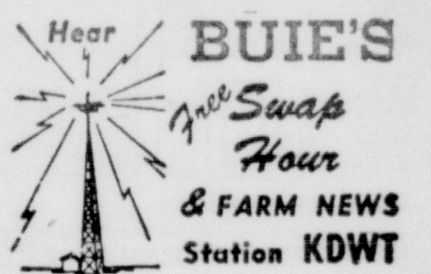
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**Teaching Philosophy**

JOHN HOWARD VAN AMRINGE, who occupies an important niche in the history of Columbia university, was a sworn enemy of coeducation.

"You cannot," he asserted on one occasion, "teach a boy mathematics if there's a girl in the room."

"But, professor," someone objected, "you might."

"Then," observed the worldly-wise Van Am, "he isn't worth teaching."



**MARRIAGE FEES**

Son: "Papa, how much does it cost to get married?"

Papa: "There's a two-dollar down payment and then you pay your entire salary every week for the rest of your life."

**End Tale**

If all the students who sleep in class were laid end to end—they would be more comfortable.

**DOUBLE CHECK**

A cautious man wrote the following to a mail-order house: "Please forward to me one of those gasoline engines you describe on page 135 of your catalog. If the engine's any good, I'll send you a check for it."

A few days later he received this answer from the mail-order house: "Please send check, and if it's any good, we'll send you the engine."

**Time's Up!**

A passenger on his first airplane flight was being comforted by a fellow traveler.

"You have nothing to worry about," said his pal. "If your time has come, you can't do anything about it."

"That's O.K.," he answered, "but what bothers me is suppose the pilot's time has come and mine hasn't! What happens then?"



**Time Is Valuable**

A farmer boy was sitting on the bank of a creek fishing when a city visitor came up to him and remarked, "Your time must not be very valuable to you, young fellow. I've been watching you for three hours and you haven't had a single bite."

"Well, stranger," the boy rejoined, "my time may not be worth much to me but it's too valuable for me to waste three hours watching another guy fishing when he ain't catching."

**A Promise**

Husband: "Aren't you ready yet?"

Wife: "I wish you'd quit that yapping. I told you two hours ago I would be ready in just a few minutes."

**Identification**

"My girl, said Smith, 'is one of a pair of twins.'"

"How do you tell them apart?" a friend asked.

"Easy," said Smith. "Her brother is taller."

**Good Medicine**

"Well, I do say," said the sweet old lady upon tasting her first glass of beer, "It tastes exactly like the medicine my husband has been taking for the last 30 years."

**Marriage Is An Out**

Mrs. Boggs: "It's not till you marry a man that you find him out."

Mrs. Noggs: "That's right. It was not till I'd married Noggs that I found he was out every night."

**Disappointed**

A SUBURBANITE sitting at his window one evening casually called to his wife: "There goes that woman Bill Jones is so terribly in love with."

His wife, in the kitchen, dropped a cup she was drying, hurtled through the door, knocked over a lamp, and craned her neck to look out the window.

"Where?" she panted.

"There," he pointed, "that woman, with the tweed coat, on the corner."

"You idiot," she hissed, "that's his wife."

"Yes, of course," he replied.

**A Late Arrival**

Young Angus McTavish was observing his birthday, and his father decided to celebrate the occasion by taking him for a trolley ride. Stepping in, he handed the conductor 15 cents for one full, one half fare.

The conductor seemed dubious. "How old is the boy?"

"Well, this is his twelfth birthday," admitted McTavish, "but he wasn't born until late afternoon."

**SHIRT TALE**

"Is this the laundry?" the irritated customer shouted into the telephone. "Well, you sent me a batch of very old handkerchiefs instead of my shirt."

"Them ain't handkerchiefs," replied the laundry, "that's your shirt."

**PYROTECHNICS**

Little Susie's hair cracked, as her mother was combing it.

"Why does it crack?" the child asked.

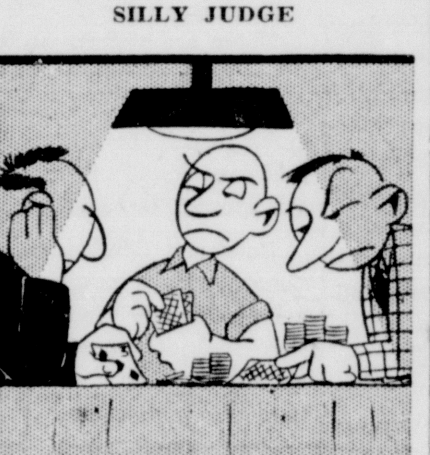
"Because it has electricity in it."

"Gee, ejaculated the modern little miss, 'we're sure in the groove. I got electricity, Grandpa's got gas on his stomach, and Daddy's all lit...'"

"Not another word, Susie!"

**Food Digger**

She's an after dinner speaker. Whenever she speaks to a man, she's after dinner.



**SILLY JUDGE**

Judge: "So you were playing poker?"

Gambler: "Yes, sir, but not for money."

Judge: "What were you playing for?"

Gambler: "For chips."

Judge: "But chips are the same as money. Ten dollars fine."

So the gambler paid in chips.

**Forgetfulness**

"Dear Clara," wrote the young man "pardon me, but I'm getting so forgetful. I proposed to you last night, but I've really forgotten whether you said 'yes' or 'no'."

"Dear Will, she replied, 'so glad to hear from you. I knew I said 'no' to somebody last night, but had forgotten who it was.'"

**Double Threat**

"I'd fire you in a minute," cried the angry manager, "if I thought I could get another man to fill your job."

"And I'd quit in a minute," sighed the weary bookkeeper, "if I was through with my night course in welding."



**SPECIAL REQUEST**

"Does your orchestra ever play requests?"

"Certainly. What would you like to have us play?"

"Pinocchio!"

**Dogs Can't Read**

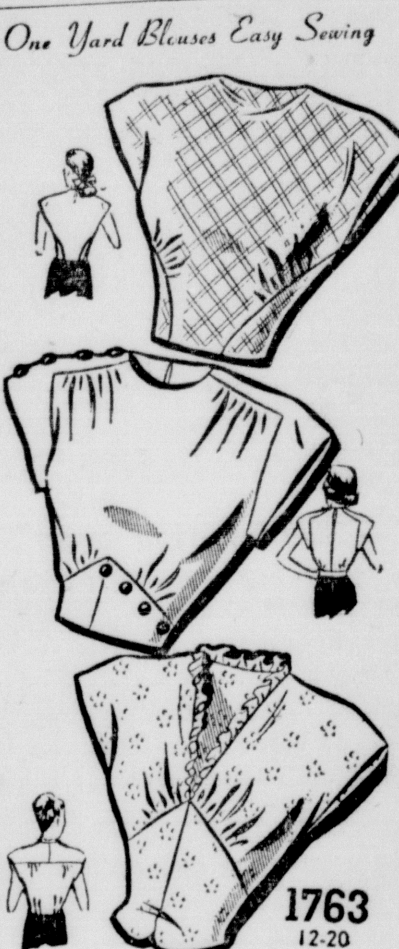
A woman went to buy a drinking bowl for her dog, and the shopkeeper asked her if she would like one with the inscription, "For the dog."

"It really doesn't matter," she replied, "My husband never drinks water, and the dog can't read."

**Simple Geography**

Teacher: "What is Australia bounded by, Tommy?"

Tommy (eagerly): "Kangaroos."



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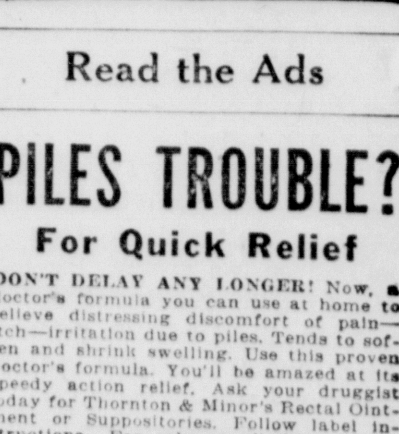
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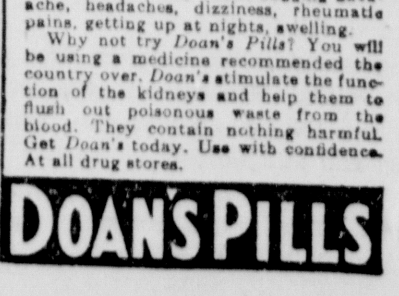
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**Professor Warns Cars Are Too Cozy for Safety in Driving**  
CONCORD, N. H.—According to Prof. Dean A. Fales of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, modern automobiles are too comfortable for safe driving.

The modern seats in automobiles tend to relax the driver too much and bring on fatigue and drowsiness, Fales told the governor's highway safety conference.

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### Impatient Motorist Shortens

#### Crossing Time of Long Train

**SEDALIA, MO.**—An impatient motorist who rebelled at having to wait at a crossing which a train blocked, leaped out of his car and uncoupled the rear two-thirds of the train.

The impatient motorist, apparently well acquainted with railroad signals and uncoupling of trains, got out of his car and walked over to the coupling which was on the street crossing where he sat. He set the brakes on the rear two-thirds of the train, uncoupled the cars and waved a "high ball" to the engineer. The engineer started his engine in motion.

Other trainmen, seeing their train starting, ran more than a block to stop the engineer from getting out of town with only one-third of his train.

A search of the law books is being made to ascertain if there is some law under which the offender can be arrested and punished for his actions. So far no paragraph has been found in either the Missouri statutes nor in any of the city ordinances covering such an action.

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DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 139: 1-8

### From Malachi To Christ

Lesson for June 27, 1948

THE inter-biblical period, covering approximately four centuries, is one of the great silences of history save as the prophecies of God offer flickering light upon the winding paths in western Asia, northern Africa and southern Europe. A remnant of Jews resided in Jerusalem, whilst many others were dispersed about the face of the earth. The Old Testament was translated into Greek—the version used in the time of Christ. The Talmud and the 14 books of the Apocrypha were written. The synagogue arose. The schools of Hillel and Shammai were founded and flourished. The sects of the Pharisees and Sadducees originated. Buddha, Confucius and Zoroaster were beginning to influence life in the Far East, while in the Near East Zeno and Epicurus dominated philosophical thought. The Caesars ruled the Mediterranean world.

To understand something of this period from Malachi to Christ, we are asked to read the Scripture passages listed above.

**BEFORE JESUS CAME**  
"BEHOLD, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me; and the Lord, whom ye seek, shall suddenly come in his temple, even the messenger of the covenant, whom ye delight in: behold he shall come, saith the Lord of hosts."

Did they fully understand the significance of these great words of Malachi? Hardly may we expect that they did, but they got their basis of hope, about which we studied last Sunday. Imagine the faces of the little children in the long ago as they heard of the coming Messenger!

### THE COMING CHRIST

LOOK carefully at the above Scriptures and see how both the Old and New Testaments center upon Christ. These great phrases are suggested:

The promised Christ, the expected Christ, the heralding Christ, the present Christ, the enlightening Christ, the judging Christ, the merciful Christ, the redeeming Christ, the restoring Christ, the guiding Christ.

Space does not permit the citations, but a study of the passages will reveal each of these gifts and blessings in the coming Christ.

### BETWEEN THE TESTAMENTS

DIMLY only do we envision that period of four centuries, but we have sufficient light to trace the steps by which the faithful amongst the Jews were cleansing themselves of idolatry as the fires of God purged away the dross of paganism and secularism. One will find rich reward in the reading of the Apocrypha and Josephus. Also, one will find in the opening chapters of the New Testament light which falls back upon those dark ages.

There were synagogue schools, taught, in many instances by very able men, such as Hillel. There was a groping toward the light. Men were hungry for the fulfillment of prophecy. It was the darkness just before the dawn.

### THE LIGHT BREAKS

"BLESSED be the Lord God of Israel; for he hath visited and redeemed his people." Luke 1:68. Thus does the golden text for Sunday's lesson flash upon the waiting heart of expectant humanity the Good News.

The fulness of God's time had come. Jesus was born. Peace had come to men of good will. James Montgomery puts the Good News in these lovely lines:

Angels, from the realms of glory,  
Wing your flight o'er all the earth,  
Ye, who sang creation's story,  
Now proclaim Messiah's birth:  
Come and worship, come and worship,  
Worship Christ, the new-born King.

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### Preacher's Task

No religious doctrine has any redemptive power until it is translated into the terms of a specific situation or an actual problem. It becomes the task of the Christian preacher in this generation to do the translating. The question, "What would Jesus do?" is always with him.



Entertain Simply but Attractively  
(See recipes below)

### Summer Parties

ARE YOU PLANNING to do more than your share of entertaining during the warm weather? You'll want to tuck these tips into a safe place to help make the refreshment problem easy. For here are party desserts, sandwiches, cooling thirst-quenchers and cookies that are sure-fire hits with whatever crowd you plan to serve.

Make parties easy on yourself, by working in advance, and thus keeping yourself cool and collected at least a half an hour before guests arrive.

FOR BRIDAL or baby showers, or for simple commencement party serving, a plate of sandwiches and an ice cream beverage are perfect foods. You'll like these:

**Chocolate Mix**  
(Makes 1 Pint)  
2 1/2 ounces unsweetened chocolate  
1/2 cup water  
3/4 cup sugar  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cup heavy cream, whipped

Place chocolate and water in saucepan and cook until thick. Use low heat and stir frequently. Add sugar and salt, bringing mixture to a boil. Let cool, then fold in whipped cream. Store in covered jar in refrigerator. For a cold beverage, use one to two tablespoons of the mix to a glass of milk, beating with rotary beater. Top with vanilla ice cream and sprinkle chocolate shavings or gratings on top of ice cream. One pint of the mix is enough for about 32 servings.

If you are entertaining elegantly for a shower or commencement party, make sandwich filling (chicken, tuna fish or crabmeat and shrimp) and serve in cream puffs instead of between bread. Everyone will like this clever and different touch. Here's the way to make the puffs.

**Cream Puffs**  
(Makes 1 dozen large or 4 dozen small puffs)  
1/2 cup shortening  
1/8 teaspoon salt  
1 cup boiling water  
1 cup sifted flour  
4 eggs, unbeaten

Add shortening and salt to boiling water and heat to boiling. Reduce heat, add flour all at once and stir vigorously until mixture forms a ball around the spoon, leaving the pan clean.

Remove from heat. Add one egg at a time, beating five minutes after each addition. Continue beating until mixture is thick and shiny and breaks from the spoon.

Shape on an ungreased cookie sheet, using one teaspoon or one tablespoon, depending upon the size desired. (The smaller size is preferable if you are using the puffs for sandwiches.) Bake in a very hot (450 degree) oven for 20 minutes. Reduce heat to moderate (350 degrees) and bake 15 to 20 minutes longer. Cool. Split and fill.

**COOKIES AND BEVERAGE** make a delightful but even simpler type of refreshment:

**Butterscotch Bars**  
3/4 cup sifted flour  
1/2 teaspoon baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/3 cup shortening  
1/2 cup brown sugar  
1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
1/4 cup milk  
3/4 cup oatmeal  
1/4 cup nuts

### LYNN SAYS:

**Are You Putting Salads Over With Success?**

Most people will eat salads when they are properly prepared. Check over these tips to improve your salad making.

Some fish, fruit and vegetables are marinated, that is soaked in dressing, before mixing with other ingredients and serving to increase their tang and flavor. When marinating is called for in a recipe, let them marinate for an hour or so.

### LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Broiled Trout  
Lemon-Butter Sauce  
Parsleyed New Potatoes  
Fresh Asparagus  
Cole Slaw on Tomato Slice  
Cracked Wheat Bread Butter  
Chocolate Icebox Cake  
Beverage  
\*Recipe Given

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Add shortening, sugar, vanilla and half the milk. Beat until smooth. Fold in remaining ingredients. Spread into an eight-inch square pan, greased, and bake in a moderate (350 degree) oven 25 to 30 minutes. Cut into bars while warm. Cool and dust with powdered sugar.

A CHOCOLATE DESSERT with a cool or iced beverage makes a perfect choice for refreshment, and either of these may be made ahead of time to save last minute work.

**Chocolate Angel Pie**  
(Serves 6-8)  
2 egg whites  
1/8 teaspoon salt  
1/8 teaspoon cream of tartar  
1/2 cup granulated sugar  
1/2 cup finely chopped nuts  
1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
1/4 pound sweet chocolate  
3 tablespoons water  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 cup cream, whipped

Beat egg whites until foamy; add salt and cream of tartar and continue beating until the mixture will stand in soft peaks.

Add sugar gradually and continue beating until the mixture is very stiff. Fold in nuts and one-half teaspoon vanilla. Turn into a lightly greased pie pan and make a nest-like shell, building sides to one-half inch above the edge of the pan. Bake in a slow (300 degree) oven 50 to 55 minutes. Cool.

Place chocolate and water in a saucepan over low heat. Stir until the chocolate is melted. Cool until thickened. Then add one teaspoon vanilla and fold into whipped cream. Turn into meringue shell. Chill two hours before serving.

**Chocolate Icebox Cake**  
(Serves 8)  
1 teaspoon minute gelatine  
2 tablespoons sugar  
Dash of salt  
1/3 cup water  
1/4 or 1/2 pound sweet chocolate

2 egg yolks, slightly beaten  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
2 egg whites, stiffly beaten  
1/2 cup cream, whipped  
1 1/2 dozen (36 split) ladyfingers

Combine gelatine, sugar, salt in top of double boiler. Add water and chocolate. Place over low heat and cook until chocolate is melted and the gelatin dissolved, stirring constantly, about three to five minutes. Remove from heat and add egg yolks gradually beating until well blended.

Place over boiling water and cook two minutes, stirring constantly. Add vanilla. Cool. Fold into egg whites. Chill. Then fold in whipped cream and nuts.

Line bottom and sides of a one quart mold with waxed paper. Arrange ladyfingers on bottom and sides of mold. Pour in half of the chocolate mixture. Cover with ladyfingers. Then add remaining chocolate mixture and top with ladyfingers. Chill 8 to 12 hours in refrigerator. Unmold. Garnish with additional whipped cream.

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Plan to have all ingredients in the refrigerator a minimum of two hours before making the salad. A good way is to wash fruit, vegetables and lettuce when you buy or bring them in from the garden. Then they will be ready for use at any time.

The bowl and plates on which a salad is served also should be well chilled to increase palatability. Salad dressing is tossed into a salad just before serving so the ingredients will remain crisp.



### AN OPEN LETTER

Messrs. Stalin and Wallace Gents:

The letter-and-statement-exchanging season is on and everybody is trying to get into the act.

Well, I have been going over once more those statements and letters of you two boys and I don't know if I ever read two statements which could mean so much to a baffled world if they could be taken as the real McCoy or a reasonable facsimile thereof.

I have yet to find a fellow who is not for everything you both say you stand for. Every item you list as representing something you favor has been favored by nine out of 10 men ever since V-J Day. If anybody else but you, Joe, and you, Henry, wrote letters announcing a favorable stand on those same points they would not get in any paper in the world on account of they are old stuff.

In your letter, Henry and in your answering statement, Joe, you both came out for:

1. Co-operative efforts for peace.
2. Reduced armies.
3. Non-interference with the sovereignty of another state.
4. Swifter peace with Germany.
5. An end to obstructionist tactics.
6. Non-interference with the domestic affairs of any state.

Who is the fellow who has been against these, Joe? Tell me who has been blocking, frustrating, sabotaging and monkey-wrenching whenever a conference on these aims opened up? Who has been walking out on and busting up meetings? Who was that guy who took over Czechoslovakia? (It didn't look to me like Harry Truman or George Marshall.) Who has been crashing into little countries right and left and telling them where they get off? (The Messrs. Dulles, Hull, Harriman?) What is the name of that fellow who has been hurling the 200-pound veto? (It didn't sound like "Byrnes.")

And that "century of peace" idea, Henry, what about that? If you had to point out somebody who maybe wasn't red hot for a century of peace would you point to Uncle Sam? Don't you know very well that there isn't an American leader who wouldn't settle for a half century? So how come two fellows named Josef Stalin and Henry Wallace put each other out in front as the only men warm for such a great benefit to the human race?

Joe, you say "I do not know whether the United States government approves of Mr. Wallace's program as a basis for an agreement between the United States and Russia." Please, will you stop acting. The United States government has been approving of the program ever since the war ended, except for that matter of the atom bomb, and only you two boys see eye to eye on finagling Uncle Sam out of that one.

Well, anyhow the pen is mightier than the sword and it feels better, too. So keep on writing, as it can't do much harm.

Yours hopefully,

Elmer Twitcheil.

**PUBLIC ENVY NO. 1**  
A look of triumph lights his eyes  
And by his knowledge I am  
floored;  
For he got underneath those  
sheets . . .  
And had a look at that new Ford!

### Vanishing Americanism

"Arabs armed with scimitars."

"They had a little nest egg in the bank for emergencies."

"Take all the time you need to pay."

"My time is your time."

A gang caught cracking a safe had gone directly to the job from a ball game. They were the fellows who had kept yelling "Steal, ya bum, steal!"

Babe Ruth will go to Yale during commencement and present to it the original manuscript of his life story. This will amount to socking one over the old Yale fence.

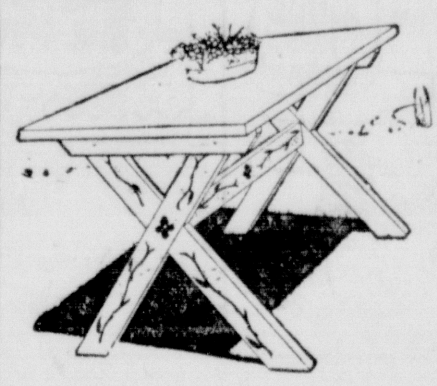
We liked this recent observation by Arthur Krock: "In case of a deadlock the convention may come in a smoke-filled room. There is nothing wrong about it: How, except by conference, can a decision be reached? And it is not yet a cardinal sin to use tobacco."

"President Truman's western tour will not be political."—News Item.

Wanna bet?

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### Baby Girl Sweater Fails

#### To Fit Cocker Spaniel

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Two former school classmates met in a Terre Haute, Ind., elevator one day and began informing each other of the latest events in their lives.

Paul Hartwig remarked, "We have a beautiful four-month-old baby girl at our house. You must see her."

Mrs. Parker, who is Hartwig's former schoolmate, bought a little wool sweater for the baby and had it delivered to the Hartwigs.

She received a letter which thanked her for the gift but apologized:

"Our baby won't be able to wear it. Our darling girl is a registered cocker spaniel."

**FOR YOUR RECIPE FILE**  
**RICE KRISPIES**  
**MARSHMALLOW SQUARES!**  
1/2 cup butter or margarine  
1/2 lb. marshmallows (about 2 1/2 doz.)  
1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
1 pkg. Kellogg's Rice Krispies (5 1/2 oz.)

Heat butter or margarine and marshmallows over water until syrupy. Beat in vanilla. Put Rice Krispies in greased bowl and pour mixture on top. Mix well. Press into 9 x 13 greased shallow tin. Cut into 2 1/2" squares when cool. Yield: 24 delicious Rice Krispies Marshmallow Squares. Everyone will love them!

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G. R. Bondurant

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